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ANTI-PIRACY PATROL GIVEN UP

CANTON TAKES OVER H.M.'S ARMED LAUNCHES' FIVE YEARS SERVICE

MANY INDEBTED TO THEM

manned by the Royal Navy, in Spain, held at St. James's Church, about five years' service in the West London, this morning. River and delta, performed heroic deeds of usefulness to all and sundry is being revealed in part, following tended in uniform.

a decision to withdraw the craft. There were four small launches originally, but these were replaced by three larger ones, part of the cost of which was paid by the Hong Kong Government.

Now that the Canton Government has fitted out similar craftin the new gungoats built in Hong Kong-for patrol work, it is deemed that the British armed launches, after having steamed 10,000 miles each per year on patrol, will not be required any longer.

First Four

The local steam launches "Hing Wah," "Dom Joso," "Wing Lee" and sioned in 1924 with temporary England on Aug. 1, 1924.

These were employed in convoying steamboats between Hong Kong Service. and Pakkai, the port of Kongmoon, in the prevention of commandeering of river craft and in the rounding up of pirate launches. They were in Hong Kong once every seven

During the 1925 troubles — the strike and boycott began in June- 1925, the "Wing Lee," when prothese four boats were employed as ceeding up-river, sighted a huddled port guardships at Wuchow, Sam- crowd of villagers on the river bank shui and Kongmoon, while the five British gunboats in the West River flames. Drawing in to the crowd, flotilla were at Shameen Canton the "Wing Lee" was informed that flotilla were at Shameen, Canton with crews landed for its defence. In August, 1925, the four

launches were replaced becaus they were too small to remain upriver for the required period.

Next Three Larger craft were obtained follows:-

s/l "Po On" "Falknor." s/l "Shun Lee" "Onslaught." s/l "Dom Joao" "Nessus."

These are described as "armed steam vessels for river service." The "Dom Joso" was the only one of the original four retained. The "Kwong Lee" passed under the control of the Imports and Exports De-

partment for revenue service. Each of approximately 100 tons, these additions to the Royal Navy have been previously employed in Hong Kong harbour as ferries, etc. Their speed was from nine to ter knots an hour. They were, of course, fitted with wireless.

What They Were

low:--Fitted with protective plating (bullet proof)

bridges and gun positions. Each carried: one 3-pounder Hotchkiss gun, one .303 Maxim gun and three Lewis machine-guns.

Personnel: one Lieutenant command, nine British ratings and nine. Chinese (firemen, engineers

and cook).

Kong for boiler cleaning.

was about 10,000 miles.

The fact that two of the com- time or other. manding officers were invalid Home is testimony of the strenuousness !: of the duties performed.

Protecting. Trade Commissioned in the autumn of Berry, 1924-25. 1925, after the anti-Hong Kong strike and boycott had commenced, Hunter, 1924-26. these armed launches were employed as port guardships, for the escort Biddulph, 1924-25; of convoys and for evacuation of "Kwong Lee":-Lieut. N. L. Britons in Chinese territory. They Dwane, 1924-25. also had duties in connection with "Faulknor":-- Lieut. P. A. Berry, the anti-Strike Pickets patrol and as 1925-26; Lieut. Comdr. F. A. Pigou, reinforcements to the five British 1926-28; Lieut. S. A. Thomson, who is a student at Leyden University.—Reuter. reinforcements to the five British 1926-28; Lieut. S. A. Thomson,

The boycott was officially called off der, 1928-29. on Oct. 10, 1926. When trade was "Onslaught": - Lieut. N. L. resumed, the three armed launches Dwane, 11925-28: Lieut. D. W. were again, assigned to conveying dealing and the standard of were again essigned to convoying Graham, 1926-27 (invalided); Lieut.

SPAIN'S LOSS

REQUIEM MASS HELD IN LONDON

KING REPRESENTED

London, Yesterday. The Earl of Granard represented His Majesty the King at a Solemn Spain, held at St. James's Church, armed launches. Requiem Mass for Queen Marie of

> The Spanish Ambassador and members of the Embassy staff at-

Among others present were Sir Lionel Halsey, representing H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, and Mr. Walford H.M. Selby C.B., C.V.O., ter. representing Sir Austen Chamberlain, Secretary of State for Foreign' Affa'rs.—British Wireless Service.

REPARATIONS

COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS

TECHNICAL ADVISERS

London, Yesterday. The Comm'ttee of Reparations Liverpool. "Kwong Lee" were first commis- Experts met this morning in Paris. the arrival of special crews from ings any technical advisers whose ing. opinions they consider necessary or advantageous:-British Wireless

> the boats have been on anti-piracy patrol in the West River delta.

Shelling Bandits During the troublous period of and a neighbouring village in bandits had attacked and were even then looting the village.

The "Wing Lee" "browned" the village with apparently good effect. the bandits retreating inland to the shelter of a wood where the "Wing Lee's" machine guns could not reach na them. She had unfortunately, gone aground in the excitement of the moment. However, the "Dom Joao" then arrived on the scene and, having been fitted with a 8 pounder gun, was able to shell the wood and

put the enemy in retreat. In spite of the prevailing anti-British feeling, both launches re an ovation from the loca populace on return to harbour.

Thanks of All Towards the end of 1927 a motor lighter bound up-river reported to H.M.S. "Faulknor" that she had been threatened with a piratical at-An armed guard of three was put aboard the lighter with instructions to keep out of sight. "Faulknor" followed up three or four miles astern, also keeping well out of sight. Sure enough while, rounding the bend into Junction Details of their armament fol- Channel the lighter was attacked. The pirates, putting off in sampans armour to capture her, were met and uncomaround fortably surprised by machine-gun daughter, Anne, to the airman,

In June last, year, the s.s. American Service. 'Kochow" sank near Wangmun outer light. Between midnight and dawn 300 passengers were taken off the wreck and conveyed to Wang- from Belsize, Reuter's American mun by H.M.S. "Nessus" and H.M.S. Service. "Onslaught."

Usual routine: Six weeks in pa- ers on the Delta which are Lindbergh arrived there after flying trol in the delta, one week in Hong not indebted to the armed launches for assistance during the five years The average distance steamed they have been in commission, on patrol by each launch per year either summoning aid or actually towing them off the mud at some

The Officers Patrol have been as follow:-

"Hing Wah":-Lieut. P. "Dom Joac":-Lieut. J. A.

"Wing Lee":- Lieut. M. A.

gunboats on the West River in 1926, 1928 (invalided); Lieut. R. Alexan-

FAMOUS VICTORIAN BEAUTY

"LILY LANGTRY"

PASSES AWAY AT HER RIVIERA RESIDENCE

VICTIM OF INFLUENZA

London. Yesterday.

Ill For Three Weeks Later.

pronchitis for three weeks .- Reu- frozen to death.

SHIP HELPLESS

DOUGLAS

TREMENDOUS SEAS FROM

PASSENGERS' EXPERIENCES

London, Yesterday. The steamer "Peel Castle," with nearly 100 passengers on board, was exposed for 16 hours to s blinding snowstorm and tremendous seas on her voyage yesterday from Douglas, Isle of Man, to and closed to navigation.

She was due at Liverpool land-It has been arranged that in future ing stage at two o'clock yesterday each delegation, if they so desire, afternoon, and did not arrive till 400 crews from the China Station until will be entitled to call to their meet- shortly after one o'clock this morn-

An icy gale froze the mixture of glycerine and water which covered her steering rods when she was off Far Lightship at two o'clock vesterday afternoon.

The ship was helpless, and was immediately anchored whilst the lengineers dismantled the steering gear. This was later re-assembled. and anchor was weighed shortly before midnight.—British Wireless

OVERLOADING

VIEWS OF SHIPOWNERS' ASSOCIATIONS

ACTIVE CO-OPERATION

London, Yesterday. The President of the Board of Trade stated in the House of Commons that the reply from the Ship owners' Associations to memoranda on the overloading ships, which was addressed them by the Board of Trade, showed a considerable measure of agreement with the Board's sugoperation and assistance.

Shipowners' Associations.—British | vice. Wireless Service.

COL. LINDBERGH

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED TO AMBASSADOR'S DAUGHTER

Mexico City, Yesterday. The United States Ambassador nere, Mr. Dwight Morrow, nounces the engagement of Lindbergh. — Reuter's Colonel

At Hayana · New York, Yesterday. L'indbergh has arrived at Havana

[Mr. Dwight Morrow was Ameri- Service. There must be few, if any, steam- can Ambassador in Par's when

CARGO COOLIE HURT

across the Atlantic.

As the result of an accident on board the s.s. "President Cleveland" yesterday afternoon, a cargo The commanding officers in the coolie is now in the Kwong Wah. Hospital suffering from serious in- has been burnt down, with its pricejuries. He was working cargo on less art treasures and archives. board the ship when he slipped and fell from the deck into a cargo owing to the severe frost. boat tied up alongside.

ALLEGED THEFT

larceny of \$100 the property of the ship's surgeon, Dr. H. B. Thompson.

EUROPE'S ARCTIC WEATHER

MANY TRAGEDIES

TO DEATH SHIPPING AFFECTED

WHOLE BAND OF GIPSIES FROZEN

London, Yesterday. are reported to have found a whole sengers were injured. gipsy bands of 84 persons, men, women and children, who were en-Lady de Bathe had been ill from camped in the forest near Lublin.

Distress on the Baltic Berlin, Yesterday. Ice has held up some chirty vessels in the West Baltic. Some are without provisions while others are so damaged that they are no longer navigable. German cruisers engaged in their rescue have been hampered by ice. Government seroplanes have supplied the vessels with food.

Bulgaria Suffering Badly Sofia. Yesterday. It is reported from Varna and Burgas that the Bulgarian ports on the Black Sea are blocked with ice

TOURISTS HERE

Four hundred tourists arrived in Hong Kong this morning on the Canadian Pacific S.S. Co.'s "Empress of Australia," a former trans-Pacific liner calling here regularly, whose place has been taken by

the "Empress of France." Full details of the tourist invasion will be found, in a Special "China Mail" supplement in this issue.

at the state of th

The second second second ice extends beyond sight of the shore and is so thick that skating is possible on the coast, which is unprecedented since 1849. Railway transport is very difficult and a food crisis in Bulgaria is feared.

London, Yesterday. The biting east wind which made Britain a place of misery yesterday, brought snow from the continent to-day, accompanied by intense vagrancy. The roads in some inland districts were impassable owing to

snow-drifts.—Reuter. Bitterly Cold at Home Bitterly cold weather continues throughout the British Isles. gestions, and promised active co- London last night 12 degrees of frost were registered and the ther-Arrangements would be made as mometer has risen little during the soon as possible for discussing the day. The cold is accentuated by an matter with representatives of the east wind.—British. Wireless Ser-

U.S. NAVY

RECOMMENDATIONS OF BUDGET BUREAU

BIG APPROPRIATIONS

Washington, Yesterday. The Budget Bureau, to whom the Naval Construction Bill has been submitted for estimates and monetary appropriations, recommended that a small amount be set aside in the current fiscal year and that 45 to 50 million dollars be appropriated in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1980.—Reuter's American

PRICELESS ART

TOWN HALL OF LEYDEN DESTROYED BY FIRE

HOLLAND AGHAST

Amsterdam, Yesterday. The ancient town hall of Leyden

BRITISH EXPRESS DERAILED

IN COLLISION

BODIES OF DRIVER & FIREMEN IN DEBRIS

PASSENGERS UNHURT

London, Yesterday. "Evening News" : Monte | The Arctic conditions in Europe | An express from London to Glascorrespondent reports that are producing many to coles. gow was partly derailed this morn-Hugo de Bathe-"Lily A telegram from Warsaw says ing in a collision with a goods negotiating with the 4th division. Governor giving the full force and Langtry,"—the famous Victorian that many deaths have occurred train near Alfreton. The driver but terms have not been accepted. effect of law to the provisions of a beauty, has died at her villa of in- from cold in the forest. Guards and fireman are missing. No pas- It is rumoured that his own troops Bill to amend the law relating to

> The bodies of the driver and fireman of the express have been found in the debris at Alfreton .-

DUKE'S MISSION

H.M.S. "SUFFOLK" GOING TO JAPAN

INSIGNIA OF THE GARTER

H.M.S. "Suffolk," of the Cruiser Squadron, China Station, is to convey H.R.H. the Duke Gloucester and his staff, from Hong Kong to Yokohama, to invest H.I.M. the Emperor of Japan with the insignia of the Order of the Garter.

end of March and H.R.H. sails by the P. & O. "Morea" from Marseilles. H.M.S. "Suffolk" is to leave Hong Kong on about April 25.

The Duke will be accompanied by the Earl of Airlie (one of His Majesty's Lords-in-Waiting), Rear-Admiral, the Hon. Herbert Meade, C.B., C.V.O., D.S.O., Major-General Sir Hugh J. Eiles, K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., A.D.C., with Mr. Hugh Lloyd Thomas (a First Secretary in H.M.'s Diplomatic Service) and Captain L. W. Howard Kerr, O.B.E. of the 11th Hussars (an Equerry in attendance on His Royal High-

AN APPEAL TO SHIPPING

COMPANIES

UNFORTUNATE BRITON A Briton named William Wilson was produced before Major C. Willson, O.B.E., at the Central Magistracy, this morning, charged with

Sub-Inspector Elston, in asking for Wilson's committal to the House of Detention, told the Magistrate that defendant was a respectable ship's officer who was at present unemployed. The Police were trying to help him to get a job, but he thought that in the meantime: best that could be done for Wilson

was to send him to the House. The Sub-Inspector also stated that if any Shipping Company had a vacancy he would be glad if they would communicate with the Police. His Worship made the order for Wilson's committal to the House of Detention.

ROBBERY FROM GIRL

DRUNKENNESS A PLEA FOR

DEFENCE Before Major C. Willson, O.B.E., at the Central Magistracy this morn-

gold chain from a Chinese girl. Counsel pleaded that the accused fecting ship in the shelter at the establish a new brand. was drunk at the time, and there time of the robbery, at 2 a.m. was no criminal intent. He was so badly "under the influence" that he which the sampan was tied to the sold, without a corresponding alwas incoherent when he was taken disinfecting ship, and then towed it teration in the price. to the Police Station.

tor Moss in the latter statement. His Worship gave a remand for asleep. hearing of the case, fixing bail in the When the craft got near to the drawbacks on such of his products aum of \$250.

destruction of the town half of ment, and for research into causes to keep quiet. Leyden, which was witnessed by of maternal mortality and of in- He then proceeded to ransack the A Chinese named Cheung Shing thousands, including Princes validity. British Wireless Service, living quarter of the sampan and

CRISIS AT CHEFOO?

IN THE CITY

GOODS IN FOREIGN GODOWNS

Chefoo, Yesterday. Disturbances occurred in Chefoo city this morning. Chinese merchants are storing goods in the for- ORDINANCE TO BE AMENDED eign godowns and there is much

feeling of unrest." been in charge here, is said to be order made by His Excellency the may turn against him at any the taxation of tobacco. moment and a crisis is expected in the next few days.—British Naval

Rome, Yesterday. A wave emotion swept the con- dinance, shall be as follows, per course in the Square when, after a of four hours' wait in the rain, His Holiness the Pope, escorted by Car- A. dinals and prelates, appeared on the

The troops presented arms and was followed by a hurricane of cheers for "The Pope and the King."

> CHINESE ARRESTED ON SUSPICION

In connection with the murder of the aged storekeeper of the Botanical and Forestry Department in a lonely store-house in Kennedy-road on Saturday afternoon, the police are detaining a Chinese on suspicion. The crime is being further probed into by the Criminal Investigation Department, whose officers are con-

HEARING TO-MORROW The two Chinese arrested in connection with the "Share Sensation" case when a scrip purported to be for 500 shares of the Hong Kong Tramway Co., was alleged to have been uttered to Mr. A. A. Lopes, a local Portuguese broker. again before Major C. Willson,

O.B.E., at the Central Magistracy, this morning.

SAMPAN ROBBERY

A robbery with violence occurred on board a passenger sampan inside

with the attempted larceny of a daughter were asleep on the craft, cigarette deliberately sold at a loss. which was tied alongside the disin- in order to kill competition or to

OFFICIAL ORDER

NEW SCALE GIVEN EFFECT

In a "Government Gazette Extra-General Liu Chen-nien, who bas ordinary issued to-day appears an

> Section 6 of the principal Ordinance is amended by the repeal of

> Sub-Section 1 and by the substitution of the following:-(1) Subject to the provisions of sub-sections (2) and (8), the duty payable (i) upon all tobacco imported into the Colony after the coming into operation of the Tobacco Amendment Ordinance, 1929, and (ii) upon all dutiable tobacco already in the Colony at the coming into operation of the said Or-

pound weight:-On unmanufactured tobacco:

(1) If unstripped:

(a) containing 10 pounds or more of moisture per 100 pounds weight thereof: 50 cents.

(b) containing less than 10 pounds of moisture per 100 pounds weight thereof: 58 cents.

(2) If stripped: (a) containing 10 pounds or more of moisture per 100 pounds weight thereof: 60

cents. (b) containing less than 10 pounds of moisture per 100 pounds weight there-

of: 66 cents. On manufactured tobacco:

(1) Cigars: \$1.50. (2) Cigarettes: 75 cents. (8) Other manufactured tobacco, including snuff and cigar

cuttings: 75 cents. The Main Object It is stated, in part, under "Ob-

jects and Reasons":---The main object of this Ordinance is to adopt in the case of tobacco manufactured in Hong Kong the principle of taxation at the source. It is on this principle that the duty is collected in Great Britain on tobacco manufactured there. Henceforward, therefore, tobacco will no longer be manufactured in bond but there will be a flat rate on the imported raw leaf used in manufacture. The same rule of a flat rate is introduced in the case of all manufactured tobacco imported, in place of the

present system of division into numerous classes according to value for the purposes of taxation. It has proved, in practice, impossible to control adequately the numerous factories, many of them working on a small scale, which receive raw leaf and pay duty only on such of their manufactured pro-

ducts as they declare for local consumption. It has also proved extremely difficult to assign to their proper classes the numerous brands of cigars and cigarettes which are

now on the market here.

Killing Competition There is also the problem of the

There are also frequent altera-

Once the manufacturer has to Kong and her daughter were still soon as he imports it or draws it from bond, a system of paying

> The amount of drawback to be returned on export is calculated on the average amount of wraw material which has been consumed

> in making the various kinds of

manufactured tobacco. Opportunity has also been taken to alter some parts of the original Ordinance, where experience has

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MURDER SEQUEL

-Reuter.

FURTHER ENQUIRIES

vinced that more than one man were concerned in the murder.

SHARE SENSATION TWO CHINESE REMANDED

His Worship fixed the hearing of the case for to-morrow afternoon:

WOMAN TERRORISED AT YAUMATI

the Yaumati typhoon shelter early this morning. According to a report made to the ing, Mr. C. A. S. Russ appeared for Water Police by Ho Kong, the misthe defence of a Chinese charged tress of the sampan, she and her

The robber first cut the line by tions in the quality of the goods toward the northern entrance of the Mr. Russ was supported by Inspec- typhoon shelter. All this time Ho pay, duty on his raw material as

red light on a wharf in the vicinity, as he exports must be concurrent-Ho Kong was awakened by some ly introduced, and this will be done one climbing on board her boat, by regulations made under section London, Yesterday.-Mr. Albert She then saw a man etanding amid- 8 (1) (b) of the principal Ordin-Five fire brigades were powerless Lavy, treasurer of the Royal Free ship. He had in his hand a thick since as amended by clause 8 of this Hospital, London, has contributed round piece of wood, and, advanc-250,000 to a fund for rebuilding ing on the boat-mistress, he struck All Holland is aghast at the the hospital's maternity depart her with the wood and ordered her

Medical Officer of Health for Beth- dingby in which he had towed his Aged 91, MravDunkley, of Creation | ual-green, was recently appointed victims, sampan. Afterwards he (Northants) Hastbeen for sixty one Medical Officer sof Health, for searched Ho Kong and stole from vests organist at the Haptist chapel. Depiford at a salary of \$15100, in her lewellery and money to the was not sufficiently clear, or re-

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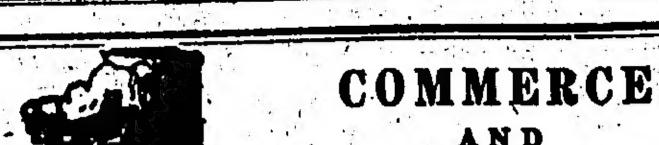
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TWENTY-SIXTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

YEAR'S OPERATIONS

The 26th annual general meeting of British-American Tobacco Co., Ltd., was held on January 14, at the offices of the company, Westminster House, 7, Mflbank, 8.W., 1, Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen, Bt. (the chairman), presiding.

The Chairman said: Ladies and gentlemen, with your approval we will take the notice convening the meeting and the report of the direc-Every description of Banking and tors and accounts which have been Exchange Business Transacted. Cor- circulated as read, and the secretary will now read the auditor's Manager, certificate.

The Secretary (Mr. A. M. Rickards, F.C.I.S.) accordingly read the certificate of Sir William Plender. of Messre. Deloitte, Plender, Griffiths and Co., chartered accountants, appended to the accounts.

The Chairman continued: As you are aware, it is usual at our annual meeting to go through the various items of the balance-sheet and make some comments thereon.

Taking the assets side of the balance-sheet, first, you will observe that the item of real estate and buildings at cost, less provision for amortization of leaseholds, £569,059. shows an increase of £38,870 as compared with last year. This accounted for by the purchase of some leasehold property and by additional factory buildings which we are creeting.

Plant, machinery, furniture, and fittings at cost or under, £777,247 shows an increase of £159,887. This increase is made up of items of additional machinery required in your factories

Goodwill, trade marks and patents remain at the same figure as last year, viz., £200,000, and, in view of the great value of the company's trade marks, the directors remain of the opinion that this item should appear on the balance sheet, even if only at the nominal value of £200.-

Loans to and current accounts

Investments in British Government securities and other investments at market price, £275,228, year, which the directors trust you that that was a matter which hard- whereby the forthcoming confershow an increase of £226,195 on will consider satisfactory. September 30 last. This increase is driefly due to a temporary invest-

Associated Companies Investments in associated com-FORMOSA:-Giran, Kagi, Karenko, panies show an increase from £20,-135,601 to £20,931,081. This is the largest item on the assets side, and 480. This is accounted for by the Bombay, Calcutta, London, New associated companies and in the purchase of new businesses. As mentioned last year, the actual net tangible assets of these associat-The Bank has Correspondents in the Commercial ed companies considerably exceeds

> Stocks of leaf, manufactured goods, and materials at cost or un-Manager, der, now stand at £6,269,490, or an increase of \$616,597. This chiefly due to the increase in the purchase of leaf tobacco to meet increasing business. The stocks leaf, manufactured goods, and ma

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terials have been carried at cost or new directors, Messrs. Morrie, I should like to say that we appreunder as in previous years.

FINANCE.

doubtful debts, short-term deposits in the employ of your company or resolution. The work of the com-(£2,250,000), and debit balances, its associated companies for over pany here is a pride to all of us, now stand at £4,352,575, an in- twenty-five years, and were occupy- and we hope that we shall be able crease of \$540,370. Short-term de- ing at the date of their appoint- to go on being proud of our efforts trade debts show an increase of over three of your more important sub- (Applause.) £80,000, and loans against security sidiary companies. They, therefore,

decrease of £32,609.

the balance sheet, the issued capital atended our efforts to be in no of 4,500,000 Preference shares re- small measure due to the fact that mains the same, but the issue of your company is directed by men Ordinary shares is increased who thoroughly know the business from 23,499,606 to 23,540,236, of which they are directors. (Hear, an addition of 40,680 shares. This hear.) is due to shares allotted to share-June 21, 1926, and to the issue of factory.

same meeting. £5,724,866, represents an increase respective staffs, and I am sure of £1,640,908 on the figures at which that you will join with me in conit stood last year. The greater gratulating them on the successful portion of those balances consists results they have achieved. of provision for payment of taxation due to British, Dominion and tell you that your business for the foreign Governments and moneys first three months of the current deposited by your associated com- year continues to be satisfactory.

The item of reserves for buildings and machinery now stands at sheet for the year enced Septem-£525,000, an increase of £25,000. on January 24. of a fina Premium on Ordinary issued stands at £559.658, an crease of £20,000. This increase is the issued Ordinary shares, free of due to the premium received on the British income-tax. shares issued to directors previously mentioned.

Provision for redemption of coupons now stands at £58,963. decrease of £27.

Special reserve has increased from £1,718,665 to £1,921,511. increase of £202.846. chairmen have stated in speeches in previous years, this account was

a capital nature. The Year's Results

This brings me to the last item. viz., profit and loss account. The your associated companies, accounts show a net profit for the £5,434,405, show a small increase of year, after deducting all charges and expenses and providing for income-tax, of £6,568,559, an increase of £209,464 over the previous

balance of £4,277,468, out of which they were warranted in discussing ing the debts of the European nawe paid a final dividend of 1s. 8d. there the affairs of the Tobacco tions to the United States, but he per share (free of income-tax) Securities Trust Co. (Hear, hear.) emphatically is of the opinion total to be paid by Germany. He amounting to £1,958,353, which left us with a disposable balance of the meeting and carried unani- the United States.

During the year, as previously Mr. T. F. C. Frost proposed the chief question to be settled is the __Associated Press. mentioned, some additional coupons following resolution:have been deposited with us in "That Mesers. George Garland respect of the shares issuable in Allen. Lawrence Hignett, the pursuance of the extraordinary re- Hon. Frederic Fergus Macnaghten, solution of the shareholders of June Mesars. Walter Perchard Stericker, 21, 1926, and we have allotted to Neil Joseph Sweeney, Matthias shareholders 630 Ordinary shares of | Manly Whedbee and Sir Gilbert £1 each, and a sum of £630 has to Wills be re-elected directors of the added the profits for the year as Mr. John Armstrong Anderson be previously mentioned, £6,563,559, re-elected a director of the company less the Preference dividend amount- until the annual general meeting amounting to £3,920,872, leaving a William Morris be re-elected direction to himself and his family. disposable balance of £4,736,178, tors of the company until the three years ago. At that time I was out of which the directors recom- annual general meeting to be held living up in Alberta, Canada. My mend the distribution on January for the year ending September 30, saddle horse reared up and fell back on me, and seemed to sprain every 24, next, of a final dividend (free 1929." of British income-tax) on the issued Mr. W. H. Read seconded the after that rheumatism started to set Ordinary shares of 1s. 8d. per resolution, which was unanimously in and I suffered terribly all over. share, amounting to £1,961,686, agreed to. leaving £2,774,486 to be carried. On the proposition of Mr. J. W. in Canada and stayed there for some tuberculosis. We sent the sister forward, all of which is required in New, seconded by Mr. W. W. had not induced friends to CARRY the operations of the company. Waldron, Sir William Plender Bt., me out. It seemed that nothing they the fact that the figures which we the company for the present year. are now discussing refer to the

company's business as of September Since that time we have issued vote of thanks be accorded to the Denver, Colorado. There they tried YOUR UCCESS IN LIFE DEPENDS 80 last year.

current year.

We therefore endeavour as far organization of the board of direcas may be to fill vacancies on our tors presided over to-day by Sir board by taking the best available Hugo Cunliffe-Owen." (Applause.) men from our staff and those of Mr. G. R. Berkeley second the our subsidiary companies, and in vote, which was unanimously acpursuance of this policy, and in corded. order to meet the growing needs The Chairman, who was received of our business, we have appointed with applause: Mr. Simpson, Mr. -cince I had the pleasure of Berkeley, ladies and gentlemen, on

Anderson and Gillon. Sundry debitors, less provision for Each of these gentlemen has been in which you have received show an increase of over £200,000. bring to the directorate that Cash at bankers, in transit and knowledge and experience which we at call, £2,756,821, shows a small consider essential, and I feel sure that you will allow me to add that Turning to the Habitities side of I consider the success which has

Results for the year under review

shares to certain directors under This is greatly due to the good Manila, on February 8. another resolution passed at the management and efficiency of the Creditors and credit balances, companies and the loyalty of their

> I am very pleased to be able to I now formally beg to move the adoption of the report and balanceber 30, 1928, including payment

dividend of 1s. 8d. per share upon I may also mention that directors have declared for the year 1928-29 an interim dividend of 10d per share, free of British incometax, also payable on January 24

so that the shareholders will receive on that date 2s. 6d. per share. I will now ask Mr. S. J. Gillchres. to second the resolution, and, when that has been done, if there are any created in which to carry profits of questions to be put or confinents to be made on the balance sheet, it wil

be a convenient time to do so. Mr. S. J. Gillchrest (one of the deputy-chairmen) seconded the re-

. A shareholder asked whether any indication could be given as to the prospects of the Tobacco Securities

Trust Co. The Chairman said he was afraid ly came within the business of the ence of experts on reparations Last year we carried forward a present meeting. He did not think could be prevented from discuss-

mously.

Let me draw your attention to G.B.E., was re-elected auditor of were doing to me did me any good; fined to her bed for several months.

to shareholders shares in the To- chairman for his conduct in the starving me but that did not do any bacco Securities Trust Co., Ltd .- chair and to the directors and the good either. I went from there to therefore, the changes in our bal- staff for the efficient management Los Angeles hoping that the good HONGKONG BRANCH.

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INTEREST allowed to Ourself and State that may be accordanced by a second that the past year." The vote of all the time.

The state that may be accordanced by a state of the company of the company and find himself prematurely old and relieve me, but I was getting worse a failure in his chosen profession or all the time. the accounts now before you, and thanks to the chairman which "I was then weighing 224 pounds occupation when he could have enjoywill not appear until you have usually concludes the proceedings which was all unhealthy fat. My before you the accounts for the of the general meeting is sometimes body was swollen all over. I couldn't current year.

a mere formality. In this case I stoop over to do a thing, not even to lace my shoes. At nights the pain lace my shoes. At nights the pain was even worse than during the day, regret that my co-directors and I expression of gratitude to the I suffered continually and my legs and feel at the death of our co-director, directors. (Hear, hear.) I do not feet were swollen all the time. HEAD OFFICE: HONG KONG.

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addressing you last year-three behalf of myself and my colleagues, clate very much the cordial way posits show an increase of £239,000, ments very responsible positions in and of the result of them.

The proceedings then terminated

OVER SHARES PROMINENT MANILANS

INVOLVED

The civil suit instituted by W. S. Price and the Sulu Development Company against Harry Martin and the Agusan Coconut Company for the recovery of 97 shares of the plaintiff company, Screws (Brass and Iron), Brass holders under a resolution passed in marly all parts of the world said to be worth P43,000, was meeting held on were, I am glad to say, very satis- heard before Judge Anacleto Diaz of the Court of first instance. shares are said to be withheld by boards of directors of the associated Mr. Martin and the Agusan Coco-

nut Company. The case has aroused interest because of the number of prominent men involved, such as Walter S. Price, transportation magnate of Leyte: E. A. Perkins, local attorney; Harry Martin, president and general manager of the Sulu Sugar Development Co.; the late Dean C. Worcester, former general manager of the Agusan Coconut Co.: C. C. Mitchell, local broker: the late Fred A. Leas, former general manager of the Agusan Coconut Co.; M. de Yriarte, director of the Philippine museum; Kenneth B. Day, former administrator estate of the late Dean C. Worcester: J. A. Stiver, local attorney and former secretary of the Sulu Department Company; and F. E.

Cochran, former secretary of the same company. Harry Martin, J. A. Stiver and F. E. Cochran testified in court, the former explaining the transfer of the shares in question. The

hearing will be resumed to-day. DEBT TALK

PRESIDENT THINKS GERMAN DEBT IS MAIN ISSUE

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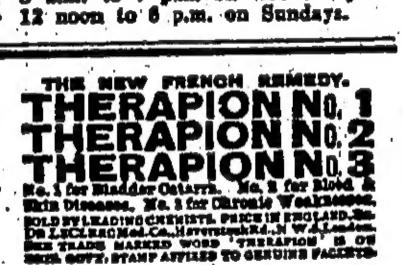
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received benefit from the Poo On Chinese Herbs. W. T. Hamilton, a prominent ranch- "Now I am able to look after my or of Salida, P. O. Box 77, Salida, farming interest. I feel good all the ing to £225,000, and the four to be held for the year ending Stanilaus County, Calif., U.S.A., gives time and I can now do a whole day's interim dividends paid on the September 80, 1930, and that the following testimony of the great work. I consider that the Poo On Ordinary shares for the year Messrs Ernest Carthagh Gillon and relief Poo On Chinese Herbs have Chinese Herbs did me more good after three weeks' treatment than "My trouble and disorders started any other doctors and hospitals did

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HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

that the ORDINARY YEAR-LY MEETING of the Shareholders 1928. in this Corporation will be held at City Hall, Hong Kong, on SATURDAY, the 23rd February. 1929, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors together with a State- sive. ment of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1928.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from Monday, the 11th February to SATURDAY, the 23rd February, 1929, (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

> By Order of the Court of Directors, A. C. HYNES,

Chief Manager. Hong Kong, 4th Feb., 1929.

THE HONG KONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN for the financial year ended 81st ARY MEETING of the SHARE- two Directors and the Auditors. HOLDERS of the Hong Kong &! The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Shanghai Banking Corporation Company will be CLOSED from held on SATURDAY, the 2nd day the 16th February to the 22nd of February, 1929, at 12 o'clock February, 1929, both days inclunoon at the City Hall, Victoria, in sive. the Colony of Hong Kong, the fol- Dated this 30th day of January, lowing resolution was passed, 1929.

That the Directors of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation be and they are 14, Des Voeux Road Central, hereby requested and authorised by and on behalf of the shareholders of the Corporation to take all such steps as may be necessary for the introduction of an Ordinance into the Legislative Council of the Colony of Hong Kong and for the enactment of the same by the Govager of the Corporation, in substitution for the existing Ordin- Company. ances (except as in such print is mentioned) and Deed of Settlement of the Corporation.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that a further extraordinary meeting of the shareholders of the Corporation will be held on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of February, 1929, at 12.45 in the afternoon at the same place for the purpose of receiving a report of the above mentioned meeting and of considering, and, if thought fit, confirming the above resolution in accordance with Article 96 of the Corporation's Deed of Settle-

Dated this 8th day of February.

By Order of the Directors, A. C. HYNES, Chief Manager.

Note:-A copy of the proposed New Ordinance can be seen during the usual banking hours (Sundays, Public and Bank Holidays excepted) in Hong Kong at the Head Office of the Corporation or at the offices of Messrs. Johnson Stokes & Master, Prince's Buildings, Solicitors to the said Corporation, and in Shanghai at the Office of the Corporation, from the date hereof until the date of the above mentioned confirmatory meeting.

NOTICES.

THE DAIRY FARM ICE & COLD STORAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-THIRD ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Town Office, 2, Lower Albert Road, on THURSDAY, 28th FEBRUARY, 1929, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report Prince Edward Road, the Directors together with of Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend and re-electing Directors

and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st to the 28th February, 1929, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

M. MANUK.

Secretary.

Hong Kong, 13th Feb., 1929. THE "STAR" FERRY COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-FIRST OR-DINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF THIS COMPANY will be held at the Office of Messrs. Jardine, & Co., Ltd., on the 15th: February FRIDAY, 1929, at 12.30 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December.

> The REGISTER OF SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 7th February, 1929, to FRIDAY, the 15th February, 1929, both days inclu-

By Order of the Board of Directors, F. H. CRAPNELL, Secretary.

HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hong Kong, 1st Feb., 1929.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN ARY YEARLY MEETING of Hong Kong Telephone Company, Limited, will be held on FRIDAY, the 22nd day of February, 1929, at the Special train leaves Kowloon 1.50 p.m. Board Room of the Company, Second Floor, Exchange Building, Hong Kong, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors, that at an EXTRAORDIN- December, 1928, and re-electing

By Order of the Board, T. A. BARRY, Acting Secretary.

Hong Kong.

HONG KONG TRAMWAYS, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEAR-LY GENERAL MEETING of ernor of Hong Kong with the HONG KONG TRAMWAYS, advice and consent of the Legis- LIMITED will be held at the lative Council thereof, in the offices of Messrs. Jardine, Matheterms of a print which, for the son & Co., Ltd., Hong Kong, on purposes of identification, has FRIDAY, the 1st day of March, been signed by the Chief Man- 1929, at 12 o'clock noon to transact the ordinary business of the

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that the REGISTER OF MEMBERS of the Company will be CLOSED from FRIDAY. 15th FEBRUARY to FRIDAY, 1st MARCH, 1929, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board, W. F. SIMMONS,

Secretary. Hong Kong, 7th Feb., 1929.



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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN STOCK EXCHANGE CLOSED on MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, the 11th, 12th

and 13th instant. By Order of the Committee, A. NISSIM, Secretary.

Hong Kong, 8th Feb., 1929.

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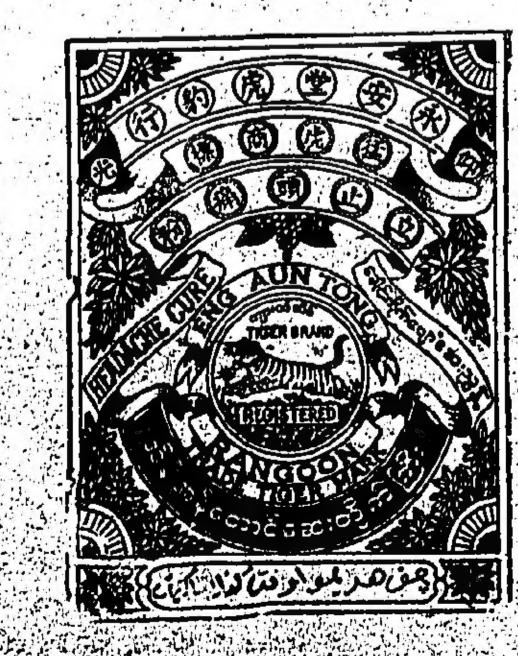
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Separate crankcases with outside main bearings between them are essential for this type, together with packing rings at each side of each bearing to make the crankcases airtight. We have, therefore, the thickness of the crankcase and that of the air packing rings to allow for at each side of each crank instead larger of the two. It would neces- duced this figure under normal runof only the bearings itself in the petrol-paraffin model.

pump, and the bilge pump take up overall dimensions. more space in a crankcase compression engine than in one that runs speed four-stroke Diesel marine out in the engine shaft; an overall on parassin depends on the design. ongines much bigger than petrol-efficiency of 23 per cent., plus the Eccentrics or cams for fuel pumps paraffin motors which give a like increase Mr. Johnson claims. and eccentrics for water pumps need power at the same r.p.m., but they A super shore power station has sories are driven off the crankshaft. engines. Considering that the ously solid foundations, thus allow-A shaft governor also involves extra brake mean pressure on the pistons ing less blade clearances, and a length; even if housed in the fly- of the four-stroke engine should be higher turbine heat to power effiwheel, as in this position it prevents the use of the flywheel as one clutch member of the reverse gear. But these arrangements are by no means universal. In some two-cylinder engines the fuel pumps and the water pumps are driven off one eccentric, and the governor, of the hit-andmiss type, is embodied in the fuel pump operating gear. With this design the fore and aft space taken up is not appreciably greater than that for the timing pinion of a petrol or paraffin motor. Another solution is to work the pumps and the governor off the camshaft.

But it is in connection with the reverse gears that the reckless spread in a fore and aft direction is so noticeable in heavy-oil engines. It is difficult to think of any reason why reverse gears should not be Railway to help the Maritime Prohoused in the flywheel rims. In this connection it is interesting to note that more compact reverse gears have recently been adopted by wellknown makers of crankcase compression heavy-oil engines. This has been done the better to compete with the shorter petrol-paraffin

motors for fishing boats. Eliminate Clutches

It is obvious that the directlyreversible heavy-oil engine has for the journey being twenty-eight some advantage over that with a hours. The details of the proposed then have the thermal overall effi reverse gear in the important mat- improvement provide for: ter of length. But this advantage would be more pronounced if the at Halifax and St. John, New almost universal clutch was eliminated. Big marine Diesel engines have no clutches. It is not easy to of Fundy between St. John and understand why these accessories Digby, thereby accelerating the mail should be needed for small ones that and general service over the Domare started from cold by compressed air without hot spots in the form Pacific subsidiary in Nova Scotia, of tubes, cartridge fuses or electric which would improve the patronage plugs.

Nova Scotia. Clutches increase the cost of small heavy-oil directly-reversible engines, and raise the price, which already imposes a heavy handicap on this type in competition with petrol- Scotin. paraffin motors. With the universal adoption of the Diesel principle for small heavy-oil engines with startTROOPING SEASON

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H.M.'s transport "Dorsetshire," which was on passage from Colombo to Hong Kong, has been which seems tolerably certain to ordered to Singapore to tranship come about, clutches, which are a the passengers on H.M.'s translegacy from the semi-Diesel, will port "Somersetshire," which is returning to Singapore after havreversible models. Direct reversi- ing left that port for Hong Kong bility also seems likely to be generated then developed engine ally adopted. When these develop trouble.

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reduce the dimensions. One might reasonably suppose that an engine [To the Editor of the "Journal of Commerce" 1

that gave the same power at the Sir,-In your issue of December same revolutions per minute. The 6 there is an article in which it brake mean pressure on the pistons states that the oil consumption of a of the Diesel engine should be as turbine ship belonging to the C.P.R. high as the very moderate figure at was .6lb. of oil per shaft horsewhich petrol-paraffin marine motors power, in the same anticle it states are rated. But the fact remains that the C.P.R. marine engineer that the Diesel engine is much the (Mr. Johnson) had still further resarily be more heavily constructed ning marine conditions.

to withstand the higher pressures. If s.h.p. is intended to mean Whether the means for driving but this feature would involve a 33,000ft. lbs. per minute, and if the the fuel pumps, the cooling water scarcely appreciable increase in the oil had a calorific value of 13,500 B.T.U. per lb. of oil, then 23 per Not only are some small high- cent. of the oil heat energy comes

fore and aft space if these acces- are actually larger than semi-Diesel much larger turbines, and enormeasily more than double that on the ciency. The boilers are tremendous pistons of the semi-Diesel, this posi- affairs and have enormous furnaces, the heat is taken out of the waste Unless the dimensions of small gases by bulky and weighty economheavy-oil engines can be reduced, isers and preheaters. Space and their use is bound to remain re- weight are not considered in the stricted for all craft in which space struggle for efficiency in super shore is a consideration. Now that high-

power stations. speed Diesel engines are proving and even for aeroplanes, it is not efficiency.

improbable that the problem will be solved, at least for the four-stroke your correspondent (23 per cent. days. type, by higher speeds with reducoverall efficiency) are considerably in error, because no marine job (with comparatively small units. light flimsy foundations, weight and space restrictions, and generally speaking coanser plant) could hope to compare to the ideal super power The important programme of

station efficiency. development by the Canadian-Pacific The writer suggests that if 17.5 Railway to help the Maritime Pro-vinces, hinted at by President ed in a turbine marine outfit (.81b. Beatty, will, it is now announced, of oil per brake horse-power) reckoned between the gross fue heat consumed and the net brake horse-power delivered, then all concerned are to be congratulated.

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London, Yesterday. It appears that the Cross-Channol steamer "Ville de Liege," which went ashore yesterday near Dover landing stage, has not actually sunk. She is fast on the rocks, but only a small part of her hull can be seen.

This morning some of her mails were taken off at low tide. An attempt was to be made later to get her off.-British Wireless

WHO'S WHO

PASSENGERS ON "PRESIDENT MADISON

The s.s. "President Madison," which arrived on Monday, had the following passengers on board:-Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fleishhacker, Mr. Herbert Fleischhacker,: jur., and Mr. Allan Fleischhacker .-They are on a voyage round the world, from San Francisco, where Feb. 12. from Manila:-Mr. Fleishhacker, sen., is a prominent financier.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Laurence.-Associated with the General Buying Department of the Proctor & Gamble Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, en route to Manila.

Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Guevara jun, and Master Pedro Guevara .-Returning to Manila. Mr. Guevara is the son of Resident Commissioner of the Philippine Islands, Washington, D.C.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Cornell .-En route to Singapore, where they will visit Mr. Cornell's brother, returning to their home in Tulsa, Oklahoma, via Honolulu. Mr. Cornell is representative for Worthington Machinery Co., Tulsa, Okia-

Miss Francel Tyler .-- Of Carmel and Santa Rosa, California, en route to Hong Kong.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Williams, and family.—International Banking Corporation, Manila, returning after a vacation of several months in the States.

Mr. Joseph Mather.—Head of the Company, Passadena, California; trip round the world. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fennell and Mr. E. E. Fennell.-Residents of India returning after a visit to San Francisco.

By "President Cleveland" On her voyage from Hong Kong to San Francisco the s.s. "President Cleveland" had the following on board:-

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trip to the Philippines. Mr. A. F. Henry.-Agent of the United States Shipping Board's local Office, returning to the United

President of the Standard Oil Co., returning to the United States.

the-world tourists, returning to the Jong, Mr. and Mrs. Kam Kum-shih, Un'ted States. Travelling round-the-world.

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Mr. Robert W. Spofford, Ram Singh, Mr. Georgie B. Tyson, Mr. Lee Ten, Mr. H. F. Williams, Mr. Robert A. Wyllie, Miss Edith M. Wright, Mr. Robert F. Wright, Mr. Johannes Westerbs, Mr. Chester M. Wentworth, Miss Jessie I. Wyllie, Mr. Loreto Zapanta, Mr. Jaccobo Zobel, Miss Angela O de Zabel, Master Enrique Zobel, Mrs. Jose Souza de Costa and Mr. Lie Tong-long.

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Shanghai:-Mrs. George Anderson, Mr. H. S. Alken, Mrs. C. M. Bagot, Mrs. O. S. York via Suez, March 25. Benbow-Rowe, Mr. F. Benbow-Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. R. Kent S.S. "City of Khartoum," for Beattle, Miss E. Chan, M. Shanghal and Japan, February 25. Chan, and P. Chan, Mr. Chan Sick- S.S. "Roseric," for Shanghai and din, Miss Chung Ping-fong, Mr. Japan, March 3. C. C. Chen, Mr. E. A. Cowell, Mr. S.S. "City of Delhi," for Shang-C. W. Chang, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. hai and Japan, March 18. P. Drummond, Mr. F. Elias, Mr. 20. and Mrs. E. A. Fennell, Mr. E. E. Fennell, Mr. W. W. Geddes, Miss and Rollo, March 26. Mr. Fales and Miss Fales.-Vice- Myra Gatewood, Mr. T. B. Gange, Mr. E. Gensburger, Mr. W. A. Hogartt, Mr. Peter Hin, Mrs. Bang. Mr. and Mrs. H. Sawyer-Round- How, Miss Julie How Mr. G. S. Mr. Kwok On, Mr. Chan H. Lee, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Scott .- Lee Shin-ping, Mr. J. Y. Lum, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Lynch, Miss A. Scott is a Justice of Peace in Leitao Mrs. M. Ladow, Mr. Tong Lung, Mr. Lee Kwong, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. E. H. Halbertsma.-A bar- A. B. Lowson, Miss I. Lowson, Mr. home to Holland via the United Helen and Cabherine Merkel, Mr. F. N. Matthews, Mr. H. A. Mac-Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Osgood. Intyre, Mr. J. McDowall, Mr. H. G. Prominent Australians travelling McNeary, Mr. C. E. Meyer, Mr. Oliver E. Nelson, Mr. E. M. Oliveira, Mr. Shoo Ming, Mr. Ra Shyun, Miss K. Shekury, Mr. Sai Ding Pie, Mr. J. M. Senna, Mr. E. E. Shamoon, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Rogers, Mrs. H. G. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. G. Rust, Mr. F. Rayden, Miss F. Tyler, Dr. Arthur Woo; Mr. Wong Shinyih, Mrs. H. D. Warner and Master Warner, Mr. E. B. Wright, Miss

M. Wright, Mr. Franklin Wang, Mr. A. M. Yazejy. DEPARTURES Per Dollar Liner "President Cleveland" for Sau Francisco on

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to arrive here to-morrow. The Dollar liner "President Campia, Robert S. Chattey, Edward Rierce", sailed from Seattle on A. Chazal, Tin Wal-chan, Jose Jan 26, and is due at this port

Duffy, Mr. Kung Ha-fung, Mr. C. Che P. & O. s.s. "Kashgar" left" Fung. Mr. Koo Yah-fong, Mrs. Shanghai for this port yesterday at Apolonio Gomban, Mr. and Mrs. 3.30 p.m. and due here on Friday

Pauline and Puy Guan, Mr. and Mrs.. Karachi on Jan. 28, and is expect-

Uy Ching-hong, G. M. The C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of Heaphy, George Inn, Miss Mary S. Russia" left Vancouver for Hong. Johnson, Wee Liang-kia, Master Kong, via Japan ports and Shang-Lee Fong-leong, Mr. H. MacGowan, hai; on Sunday, and is due here on

The M.V. "Viminale" sailed from

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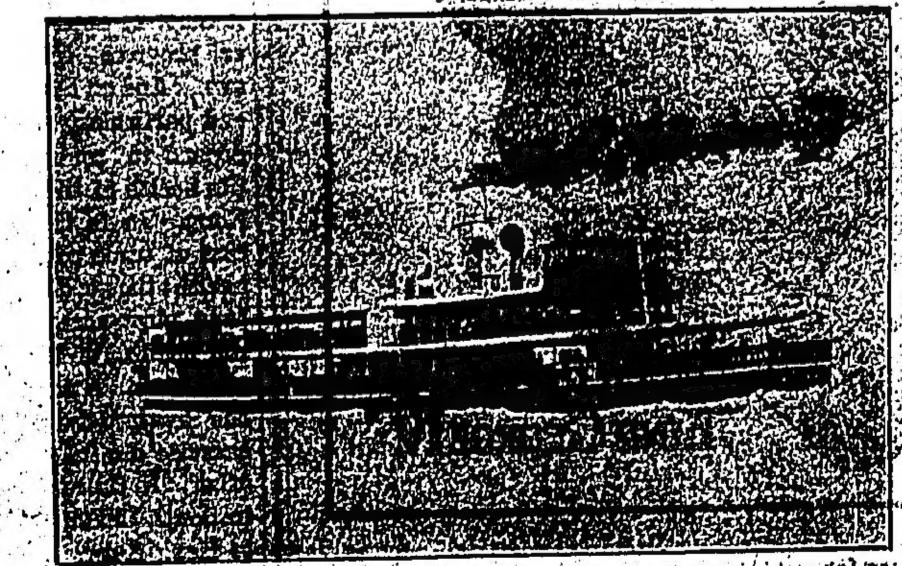
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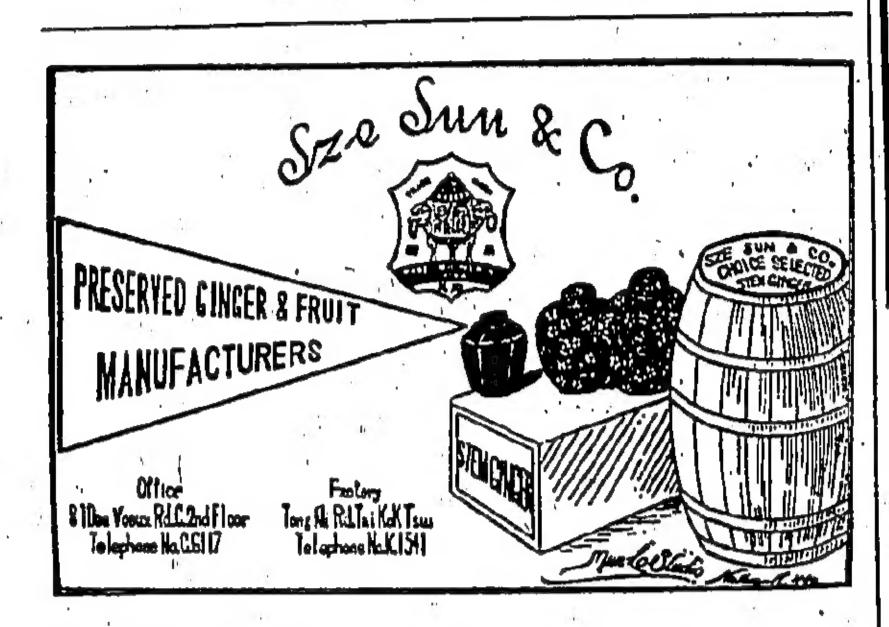
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TERRIBLE APATHY

It is appropriate, at a moment when the mind of the community is still seriously occupied and anxious in regard to the epidemic of small-pox in the Colony, that public reference should be made to the "terrible apathy" of the Chinese masses toward questions of public health. Nothing if not outspoken was Dr. Arthur Woo, in his presidential address at the nineteenth biennial conference of the China Medical Conference held in Shanghai, a verbatim report of which has just reached us. As, Dr. Woo says, "medical ideals rise beyond politics but their realisation is dependent on peace and order; for a stable political state is essential for the freest scope for medical work." With a united and settled China, it must be anticipated that medical progress will come into its own. And on the health of China, and particularly Kwangtung, will depend to an enormous extent the health of the Colony of Hong Kong. As in the material question of trade so it is with public health: the good health of Kwangtung must react favourably on the health of this Colony, and vice versa. A serious epidemic in one Province or Colony cannot but exercise direful influences on the other. In times of political crises in South China, the masses flock to Hong Kong. These are equally ready to make Hong Kong a temporary refuge when the ravages of disease in their own

science in Kwangtung and pro-

vinces further afield in China. with the development of rapid in England, where her wonderful maids, the Misses Patsy means of transport, the health of the maids of transport, the health of the misses of transport of international concern. That, well-known and admired by many Tyler was the Maid of Honour. of course, merely confirms what among her friends being the away, whilst the duties of best reform, that country is China, during the height of her fame in which will include Shanghai, out his employer's car without an elementary appreciation of de Batha at the Market of the fame in London, chauffeur, Harry, who had the after an extended honeymoon tour day before been fined for taking which will include Shanghai, out his employer's car without permission. an elementary appreciation sanitation, physical culture, and had probably passed the "threethe benefits of a hygienic way of life is lacking." He attributes this lamentable state in a country which has enjoyed thousands of phases he says:

"With the first it is not withhealthy and strong China South China Patrol. unless we as doctors can devise ways of dispelling the ignorance is the dead-weight of tradition ary 26. and superstition which cause the people still to regard epidemics and illnesses in any form we have received a copy of form of processions and the factor which we must overcome is selfishness and the lack of any sense of social responsibilcause is to be found in the lack of knowledge, for even selfish- fever (Filipino, imported). ness, were it only enlightened selfishness, would at once have detected the glaring fallacy in that well-known Chinese ad- 22 cases of small-pox, all Chinese, tory" should command not only a monition, to sweep only the snow from your own door steps and to leave the rime on your neighbours' eaves alone."

China's immediate task, says a.m. was 56 degrees, compared with 59 degrees at the same time yesterday. desire for knowledge on the part of the masses and to find the best native Province menace life itself.

methods of supplying it. The suc
Thus, is this Colony, with its
cess of the Chinese Government
bob you owe me to the functory manner.

"Have you overlooked that five functory manner."

"Have you overlooked that five functory manner."

"Thank you, mum, said the cr-if I remember rightly, he in its struggle for peace comes in "By no means." Didn't you see cook."

"By no means." Didn't you see cook."

"Oh, quite—but—well, to tell functory manner."

"Thank you, mum, said the cr-if I remember rightly, he was—well, it might be his—he ness of the progress of medical ness, for the very methods used way?

with such brilliant results in arousing in the common people a divine discontent with military tyranny and political corruption, an intense enthusiasm for a clean and united government, and a new spirit of nationalism, if employed with the same perseverance and Glenealy, was the scene of a détermination in the cause of pretty wedding of much social impublic health would, in the short portance yesterday afternoon. It space of a few years, achieve was one of the most beautiful ap-

In that great task Dr. Woo and popular members of Hong Kong you, boss, I'd be riding in my own his associates in the China Medisociety's younger set.

The bride was Miss Elizabeth car too!" cal Conference, including the Dunbar, daughter of Mr. "Get up—get up! There's a members of the Chinese branch of and Mrs. Lambert Dunbar, burglar in the house!" whispered the British Medical Association in of Hong the British Medical Association in of Hong Kong, and the Hong Kong, will most assuredly bridegroom, Mr. Michael Donald Hong Kong, will most assuredly bridegroom, all. Brieffact Bonds what of it! Let min had been have the goodwill and blessing of Gurney Hoare, only son of the late Mr. George Philip Gurney his mistakes for himself."

Hoare and of Lady Howard of Park Lane, London. He had been Did you guard all the entrances?" preciates the incalculable value of connected with the Union Insurpublic health at its true worth.

The "Jersey Lily"

The death—which has been announced—of Lady de decorated for the occasion with a Bathe, who for many years was soft blue and ivory colour scheme much better known as Miss Lily which included a bower of feathery ferns and white Langtry—the "Jersey Lily"—will chrysanthemums in the cenbe received with profound regret tre aisle, and a border and evoke memories of the days tically decorated to look like an when she was one of the most Italian garden with graceful beautiful women of England, a arches of ferns, chrysanthemums society favourite and an actress and blossoms. of some distinction. She was the ivory velvet, the bride was charmdaughter of the Very Rev. W. C. ing. She wore a long shimmerle Breton, the Dean of Jersey. ing train lined with gold, and a Miss Lily Langtry, in 1899—then the widow of Edward Langtrymarried Sir Hugo Gerald de Bathe She wore a small cap of meshed and since that time had lived seed pearls; also a strand of Space, naturally, will not per- chiefly at Monte Carlo, where she pearls - her mother's wedding mit of dealing at length with the has died. In the 'eighties and of Arum lilies. Mr. Dunbar's admirable address of Dr. Arthur 'nineties the "Jersey Lily" was a present to his daughter was Woo. He strikes the right note, name that was very well-known handsome diamond bracelet. however, when he asserts that, throughout the world, particularly

She was a great favourite of King Marcel, Jacqueline Hargreavesa country is no longer a matter Edward the Seventh, when he was importance, but has become one Prince of Wales, and was also Hargreaves-Browne. Miss Francel we have said ourselves, in effect, then Prime Minister, the "Grand man were performed by Mr. in the preceding paragraph. For Old Man," W. E. Gladstone. that reason we naturally find our- "Lily Langtry," both on and off the stage, had a wonderfully regal held at the home of the bride's selves in full agreement with the appearance, and certainly created parents, "Multnomah," May-road, worthy doctor when he frankly a remarkable effect wherever she says that "if there is one country went-not so much by her hisde Bathe, at the time of her death,

There was always a time when years of advanced civilisation, only one mind held to a new with an industrious with an industrious and a second truth, for new truth begins with with an industrious and energetic the discoverer and filters down people, to poverty, ignorance, and gradually into the minds of the

score-and-ten" mark.

Mrs. E. B. Coney and Mrs. E. in our province to deal. We can Berry will be hostesses at lun- private resident every day in the ed her hubby. "He vants a sailthankfully leave it to the poli-cheon at the Army and Navy tical economists and the expert Club, Manila, on February 7, to a regarded as wonderful value for personnel of the Ministry of small group of ladies in honour of detail places the volume on a pin-Finance, but there can be little Mrs. Ross S. Culp who will leave hope for the emergence of a der Culp will be in charge of the

of the population in regard to learn officially in an announce- Directory. the most simple facts of human ment in our advertising columns Intimately associated with this performance on Tuesday, Febru- the principal aim of the publish. next minute Lariat Larry, the

as visitations from irate gods despatch from the Secretary of of hongs or residents who have form you mentioned in the beginwho require propitiation in the State for the Colonies, regarding long since passed out of existence. ning." the Ceremony held at the Ceno- Looking to the almost daily

Two cases of diphtheria ity, but once again the root Eurasian and one Chinese) have

and 16 from Kowloon.

For four days ended yesterday

SOCIETY WEDDING LARGE GATHERING AT CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

HOARE-DUNBAR

The Roman Catholic Cathedral, to me last night?" pointed weddings of the season, arm that was empty." both bride and bridegroom being

some time.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Parisotti,

just in Hong Kong.

The Cathedral was beautifully

Attired in a Renaissance robe of tulle veil with gold embroidery and a narrow band of crange blossom at the back of her hair.

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physiology and anatomy, and to-day that, owing to the heavy the lists of hongs and residents motive thundering along beside by arousing them from the ter- bookings for the A.D.C.'s per- (these latter, again, being sub- him. Suddenly the noble animal rible apathy in which they lie. formances of "On Approval," it divided in a most painstaking stumbled: came a sickening thud,

Nothing is more tantalising to the out of that?" From the Colonial Secretary person who has occasion to handle Unsympathetic friend: a a Directory than to find the names might make him use that spare beating of gongs. The third of Armistice Day, 1928. sonnel, the publishers of the and his companion at the lunch-"Dollar Directory" can be sincere- table inquired as to "why?" ly commended on the result of

(one their labours in this respect. been reported over the holidays, tion of value there is also included ed? I'd only had it a day, too. also one case of cerebro-spinal for the first time a Canton section, giving a list of hongs and Fancy a really tip-top-twentyresidents both of Shameen and four hours of delighted possession Canton city.

As a whole the "Dollar Directo make oh!" were notified—six from Victoria very ready sale but the full appreinformation regarding local firms the To day's temperature at 11.25 and local people.

> "I must say," remarked the lady to her cook, "that you per- you? Go and get it."

affected by either the backward- here as a light to lighten the dark- me try to dodge out that door months, and that's the first word was feeding here two days since of praise I've 'ad."

P'RAPS-P'RAPS NOT!

"Do you know what Jean said

"How did you guess?"

"Last week it was the other "If I had as good a memory as

the the penniless poet's wife. "What of it? Let him find out

ance Society of Canton, Ltd., for think he must 'ave left by one of

Farmer: "I've 'ad two bottles O.B.E., Chaplain of H.M.'s Forces of your stuff to make me 'air grow, and' nothin's 'appened!" Barber: "That's funny, I can't

understand it!" .Farmer: "Well, I don't mind drinkin' another bottle, but that's

Mrs. Brown was buying a suit for her son who was a growing

"Will this material give?" she

"Madam!" exclaimed the assistant, with a pained look, "this is guaranteed finest Scottish tweed."

restaurant keeper noticed that some of his customers annexed the current day's papers for an irritatingly long time. He

hit on this little piece of sarcasm. Prominently displayed on the walls was the announcement: "Those learning to read are requested

When life was young and Cupid

And he to her was dear She could not bear him from her sight And loved to find him near.

But since they wed ten years

He's grown quite mean, And now when she wants hats

or gloves She hates to find him "near!"

Tom and Dick, chauffeurs, were that cries out for every available but by her stately loveliness, unit of energy for public health which was probably unrivalled after an extended honeymoon tour dry before been fined for Taking

Harry had taken the car out?" asked Tom.

explained "Why," "Harry ran over him."

Scream upon scream issued from the drawing-room. In haste, Mrs. Cohen dashed

upon the scene. Mr. Cohen, flushed up with anger, opened the door. "Vat's the matter?" demanded

"It's only liddle Issy," answer-

"An' vat haf you given him?"

"Two little smacks," replied Mr.

Author (writing spare form bending low on his Only a casual glance through horse's back, the mighty locoers-accuracy and up-to-dateness hero of the prairie, was no more. -has been thoroughly observed. Now, how am I going to get him

"Why?" "Jibson muttered. "Wouldn't you look miserable if In addition to all local informa- you'd a valuable umbrella pinch-Only got it two days ago, in fact. -and then-lifted! It's enough

"That big fellow," Jibson said. "look-just by the window-his ciation of all who desire—ready at brolly—gosh! Minel The one I hand always—a veritable mine of lost here yesterday! Well, of all

"Really? Well-why don't you go and get it back? You're lucky

to get the chance so soon. "Yes-of course-er-h'm-" "Go on, man. What's stopping

when ligot that ramp!

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TABLOID INFORMATION TO HELP THE TOURIST

any idea of comparison with other naval station. places in the itinerary of the pleasure-seeking globe trotter. But From the deck of the steamer the "glorious Hong Kong" can never city of Victoria is overshadowed by mean anything to the visitor by a range of hills, called Victoria liner who comes ashore merely to Peak, on which at night scintillate limited time at his disposal.

always a "but" for the tourist in a Sydney. And even that beauty is hours. Commencing at the tourist, if each and every in- The possibilities of sight-seeing | finishing at Kowloon Ferry. dividual on a liner containing hun- on the part of the visitor are aldreds of passengers all resolved on ways, of course, circumscribed by the same course of action on landing | the brevity of his stay in the port. one of the most magnificent drives in Hong Kong they would assuredly With only a day at one's disposal in the world is that by motor car crowd out the enquiry offices of the the most must be made of the time afore-mentioned concerns. True, so as to take in even in a fleeting these prepare for tourist liners and manner as much as possible of the arrange schedules of tours and time local sights. When a stay of two parties-but why should that inthe tourist beforehand? That is the intention of the present "Tourist Supplement" to the "China Mail."

A Word About Hong, Kong Of books and other literature on Hong Kong there is a plethora. Even to attempt to condense that information here might be weari- motor car to the Peak Hotel, thence some to some, although welcome to by sedan chair to the Signal Station others. There must be a happy mean. Statistics need not neces and making the descent by tram sarily be dry-as-dust. Much de- | car. pends on the manner of their presentation and their ability to grip the interest of the reader.

Every school boy knows that Hong Kong is a British Colony lying off The Colony is not confined to the the Colony. Island; it includes a small portion of the mainland on the Peninsula of Kowloon and the New Territories. 11.45 a.m. by motor car from the The capital of the Colony is called centre of the town and proceed past ... (Continued on Page 2.)

of London in bidding farewell to the breadth two to five miles. There is Colony recently. And as he was a British Governor (Sir Cecil more a missioner than a tourist in Clementi, K.C.M.G.) with a Legisla-

the ordinarily accepted sense of the tive Council. The Colony is also the word his impression of Hong Kong headquarters of the South China must be taken as it stands without Command, British Army, and a The Peak By Night

"stretch his legs" and to "see what hundreds of electric lights, resemblthere is to see" without any precon- ing a glimpse of fairyland. It is a ceived notions of arranging a sys- sight that is never forgotten-a tematic programme within the sight that can always enchant the oldest resident as well as the new-"Call at Cook's," Yes; that may comer. The Island is separated sound like a way out. And if not from the mainland by a narrow not be missed. Descent to the City Cook's then at the Hong Kong strait, which makes an excellent may be made by the Peak Tramway. Hotel's Tourist Bureau, or the harbour the approaches to which Chair and Tram fares are not in-Canadian Pacific Railway Com- from the ocean are dotted with cluded in the above fares, pany's agency or the American Ex- green-capped islets that rival in press Company. But—and there is beauty even the great harbour of

tables-some dividing the visitors or even three days, is made, then, into several personally conducted naturally the visitor can pick and choose what he would like to see and formation not be at the disposal of to omit that which may not particularly appeal to him. As one man's poison, so one type of scenery or one place of interest may draw a crowd and still leave others cold and impressionless. But no tourist can afford to leave out the ascent of the Peak, undertaking the journey by

Three Tours Many suitable trips on the Island and in the New Territories could be suggested to the tourist diere for a day or so. The following three are the south-east coast of China at the all easily accessible and have been estuary of the Chukiang River drawn up so as to give the visitor (commonly called the Canton River. | a fair indication of the beauties of

and returning by chair to the Hotel

Tour 1 The party should start at about

"Glorious Hong Kong." This apt Victoria, and the extreme length of the Lower Tram Station to Governdescription was used by the Bishop the Island is eleven miles and the ment House, the Dairy Farm, and Upper Road to Repulse Bay. Tiffin at Repulse Bay Hotel, about

> Leaving Repulse Bay at 2 p.m. and proceeding round the Island via Quarry Bay and Happy Valley arriving back in town about 2.45 p.m. Distance covered about thirty

Commencing from centre of town, via Lower Peak Tram Station and as above to Repulse Bay, thence the Peak Hotel via Stubbs'-road. Finishing with auto at the Peak

From the Peak Hotel the ascent by chair to the Flag Staff should Tour 3

Distance sixty miles; Time 31/2 strange land-great as is the work eclipsed by the scenery on the Ferry via Castle Peak, Fanling that these concerns do on behalf of Island itself and on the mainland. Golf Course, Taipo and Shatin,

Round the Island What has been well described as round the Island. The route followed is from Queen's road Centrai, thence into Garden-road, past Government House and the Botanic Gardens, along Caine-road, Bonhamroad, past the University of Hong Kong, along Pokfulam-road, Aberdeen-road, and Repulse Bay, where a stop can be had for refreshments ment may be another man's or the more enjoyable tiffin. Leaving Repulse Bay Hotel the journey is proceeded with to Stanley Bay, Tytamtuk Reservoir, and Sai Wan Gap and thence to Shrukiwan. Within a short time Taikee Dock is reached, and from there it is a very short drive back to the original point of departure.

The entire drive covers a distance of 26 miles, but the scenery en route cannot adequately be described in mere prose. It has to be seen to be appreciated as it deserves. Next to the ascent and descent of the Peak it is a trip that no tourist; should omit from his programme of eight-seeing.

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is much to entertain, amuse and the variety of outdoor sport to be instruct without resort to vehicles. Indulged in or watched, the prinstores cannot well be passed over Valley, which can be reached in a of the round end with the The Chinese curio shops and Indian | cipal ground being at . Happy stores cannot went be passed over vaney, which can be reached in a of 300 "Kwan" to those giving in- handle omitting the blade. This by those in search of novelty or for very short time by tramear, taxiby those in search of novelty or for cab, or motor car, not to mention a souvenir of their visit to this enchanted Isle. There is "China cab, or motor car, not to mention the slower jinrikisha if time is no chanted Isle. There is "China cab, or motor car, not to mention the slower jinrikisha if time is no cab, or motor car, not to mention of such forgery. Mr. evolved into the round coin with a cab, or motor car, not to mention the also exhibited a form of cursular formation of such forgery. Mr. evolved into the round coin with a cab, or motor car, not to mention the also exhibited a form of cursular formation of such forgery. Mr. evolved into the round coin with a cab, or motor car, not to mention the also exhibited a form of cursular formation of cursular for chanted isic. There is a fine Racecourse, and shape of an old-fashioned key, has been called "Chuan Pi," or was provided for the issue of notes. Othere living in narrow streets where races are held at various but minus teeth. This, he said, spring currency, signifying the re- Consequently the currency system. Chinese diving in halter believed from the middle of Feb- was used as a draft as early as semblance between the currency was greatly improved. Toward the where one can almost stream was greatly improved. Toward the across the "thoroughfare," and ruary to the beginning of Decem- the days of Christ. This imple- and the spring water which is sup- end of the Dynasty, however, owing where glimpses may be had of ber. typical Chinese life in all its varied

A good combination is a bus or ("soccer" and Rugby codes). The draft was bought in one city became more frequent the demand would not buy ten ibs. of rice. car drive to Aberdeen cricket, baseball, and tennis. The and payment was returned on pre- for the medium of exchange in- Very few notes were issued dur- of visiting as it contains many the Yuen and Ming Dynasties. motor car drive to Abstract, based, but and a tour "home" of local cricket is the Hong sentation in another city. The creased, Carrying of coins became ing the Ming Dynasty and the only objects of interest to the Euro- When the Emperor Shai Tso of through the Chinese fishing village. Kong Cricket Olub opposite Murray manufacture of this currency was clumsy and inconvenient, and some samples left were printed during pean. Hanging on the wall is a the Yuen Dynasty first establish-If time permits there is also a Barracks in Queen's Road. It is very complicated and ordinary per- substitute had to be sought. quaint little hamlet, Applichau, on this ground that interport sons could not do it. which can be reached in a few matches are played, teams coming minutes by sampan. The return once in two years from Shanghai, journey from Aberdeen can be made and less frequently from Malaya. fringing the marbour approaches | For the tourist cooped up at the formula farming implements. In the pro- two inches wide by two feet long. The relative values of the notes merchant is mainly responsible his worship. Seventy-four years will be found very refreshing after for days on end there are many cess of bartering implements such about the found with a Common with a Commo

"stranger within the gates" may

find himself the victim of profiteer-

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For chairs the tariff is-two

bearers-15 cents for the first ten

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already been made in the third of

the suggested tours-namely, to

Castle Peak, Fanling, Talpo and

Lyeemoon Pass in the distance.

tive of the Emperor of China.

be purchased.

institutions.

Blind, where dainty articles may

city combined, and the self-

contained houses, each with a strip

of garden, are a distinct change

from the row upon row of flats

the Kowloon Cricket Club; and the

loon Bowling Green Club. Football

is played at King's Park and on

the ground of the Kowloon Fcotball.

Chatham Road. Cricket is provid-

ed at King's Park and at the Kow-

Sport in Hong Kong

On the Island there is no end to

loon Cricket Club.

facing the harbour in

hour.

Shatin.

the spell through the Chinese quar- facilities for lunch (or tiffin) and dinner, including ters of Aberdeen and Applichau. For the individual who cares not. Hong Kong Hotel in Pedder for the joys of motoring a casual Street; Land Crawford's Rewalk through the heart of the city staurant, in Des Voeux Road will reveal much of interest in the | (along which the tramcars run); way of public buildings and statues, the King Edward Hotel, the Savoy the University of Hong Kong, ant in Ice House Street (directly the 500 Genii, City of the Dead, the San Paulo, Camoes' Gardens to fix a percentage at which the There are taxicabs and jinrikishas, opposite the Star Ferry wharf), Kingfisher's feather, Work-Jade, and Grotto, and Fan-tan Gambling taxed amount could be paid in not to mention sedan chairs, but in also the Kowloon Hotel and the Ricepaper the case of the two latter the legal Peninsula Hotel in Kowloon Flowery Pagoda, Jade Stone Ferry in a jinrikisha). beforehand as otherwise the

streets there are many Chinese time is limited, the following \$4 and return \$7. restaurants for those who like to itinerary is given. sample Chinese dishes.

Miscellaneous Information minutes; 20 cents for a quarter of | (above the Post Office in Pedder Leave Canton 4.80 p.m. excursion, return fare \$6.00. Street) is open day and night for Arrive Hong Kong (about) and 25 cents for every subsequent | the transmission and reception of hour. For four bearers the fares | radio messages and for reporting | The fare provides first class are exactly double, with the excep- vessels entering the harbour. The travel tickets, breakfast, lunch and Jinrikisha charges are: 10 cents of \$3.

There are branches of the East- Flowery Pagoda, Ancestral Temple, for 10 minutes; 20 cent for a ern Extension, Telegraph Com- etc. pany and the Northern Telegraph Tours of longer duration and Company in Connaught Road including passage by 8 a.m. steamer (facing the water front and just may be arranged. Fares on ap-A reference to Kowloon has beyond the Hong Kong Club). plication. These are open day and night for the transmission of cablegrams to any part of the world.

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from Hong Kong to Kowloon). En cents per ounce to British terriroute a glimpse is afforded of the tories and China; 10 cents per whole of the Kowloon Bay, with ounce to America and other foreign countries.

Eventually the granite wall of Travellers' cheques can be cashthe old city of Kowloon will be ed and payments made on letter reached, containing the old-time of credit issued by other bankers, residence of the official representa- by Messrs. Thomas Cook and Son, the C.P.R., and the American Ex-There is also a School for the press Co.

The principal exchange banks are: The Hong Kong and Shang-Returning by a bus marked hai Banking Corporation, Charter-"Yaumati" the tourist can alight ed Bank of India, Australia, and in Jordan-road and spend an enjoy- China, the Mercantile Bank of able time in King's Park, where are India, the Banque de l'Indo-Chine, laid out football, tennis, and bowls and the City National Bank of New grounds for various Clubs and York (International Banking Corporation)—all situated in As an alternative a visit may be Queen's Road Central.

commended to Kowloon Tong, For other useful information which lies off the main bus and | concerning Hong Kong the tourist motor road in Kowloon, namely, may be recommended to purchase Nathan Road. This is destined to a copy of the "Dollar Directory" be a model settlement and garden published at 3A, Wyndham Street.

CANTON

pass in most interesting City of Nathan and other roads in Kow- China. in. munication with Hong Kong Lovers of lawn bowls are well by steamer railway. catered for. Besides the rinks of are daily services of steamers the Club de Recreio at King's Park both directions. The journey is there are bowling greens at the about 61/2 to 8 hours by steamer, Kowloon Bowling Green Club, in according to steamer and tide, and Austin Road (off Nathan Road), 41/4 hours by train.

On arrival in Canton visitors are Kowloon Docks Tennis can be had met by an experienced and competat many Club courts at King's ent guide who has conducted the Park, at the United Services Club principal visitors through this fas-(opposite King's Park,) the Kow- cinating City for many years. The loon Oricket Olub, and the Kow- tour usually embraces Chun-ka-chi

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Sign For Profit "Tsan Pi," or shovel currency, was | used in China.

Sai Hing Street, etc.

One Whole Day in Canton

MACAO

11 to 12 p.m.

Lecturing at the Rotary Club at rency known, the coin being in the the Astor House Hotel recently, shape of a shovel. This was fol-Rotarian Mr. K. P. Hu of the Pe- lowed by "Dau Pi," or knife curking-Mukden Railway gave a most rency, the coin being in the shape interesting address on Chinese of a knife, another of the most mented his remarks with several harvesting grain and for general and photographic remnants of old round ended handle with a hole in was an imprint of an old draft, gether and the other end a knife was payable on demand at Chengtu, Chinese character "Li" standing

the guilty party liable to capital time went on the coin took the ment was engraved with a number posed to flow continuously without to extensive military operations, so

Mr. Hu said that in the ancient fucian Classics that as early as the Dynasty. The military operation the vernacular, an image over 500 Ko Leung river in the 12th moon days China was essentially an agri- first part of the Chow Dynasty, against the Tai Ping Rebellion dur- years old reposing on the altar of of the year, prophesying the cultural country, consequently the about 1,000 B.C., a kind of currency | ing 1860 necessitated the printing honour. where to time or stay principal assets of the people were note consisting of a piece of cloth of notes both in tael and in cash. Mr. Tsang Foo, the local coal- A temple was therefore built for as shovels, spades, ec., formed the was used. Probably this was the be equivalent to one tael in notes. purchased the brass ided from the Yan Chung Dynasty he again principal medium of exchange earliest form of currency note ever The Government banks at Amoy, Canton and supervised the build- showed his appearance in Mo

picture Painters, Saloons.

fare should always be ascertained (a few minutes' drive from the Street, Old Embroidery Shops and week days at 8 a.m. and 2 p.m., tried to doctor the issue and merand Macao at 8 a.m., and 2 p.m. | chants manipulated the exchange of In Des Voeux Road and other For the guidance of those whose Passage 4 hours. Single journey notes to get profit. The value of

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HONG KONG HEIGHTS

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note started from "Fei Chuan," or "flying money" of the Tang Dynasty and "chiaotze" of the Sung Dynasty, no sample of which

can, however, at present be found. During the Sung Dynasty notes were extensively printed with no adequate reserve for the issuance. Paper notes were found everywhere, for buying dally necessities, paying taxes, and defraying public expenses, in fact, for all sorts of purposes until the value of notes dropped to about one per cent. The ill effect of the notes, however, did not become serious as the denomination was limited to the

"Kwan" or one thousand cash only. During the Chin Dynasty, about the beginning of the thirteenth century notes with danominations such as one hundred, four hundred, one thousand "Kwan," or one million cash, were issued. Ten years later the value of the notes dropped to such an extent that notes with aggregated face value of 120 million "Kwan," or 120 billion cash, were worth only one tael of sycee! The modern mark and rouble, therefore, had nothing on China!!

many notes were issued that notes

It was said in one of the Con- ing the first part of the Manchu or "Pak Tai" as it is known in Divine Tortoise and Snake on the Foothow, and Tientsin were first to ing outside his villa and school. Tung Hill. therefore the earliest type of cur- But the actual use of the paper circulate these notes. Although A typical example of foreign inthe notes were supposed to be legal fluence in Chinese life is noticetender, even the Government tax bureaux were unwilling to accept including—although some way out Hotel, and the Alexandra Restaur- Ancestral Temples, Temples of the Canton River, with the ruins of them. Then the Government had notes. Even for this the public did . Steamers leave Hong Kong on not want to accept notes. Officials notes dropped. Foreign merchants to Macao every Sunday leaving at a great discount to pay the per- which represent the deities who great, divine and awe-inspiring. centage of import taxes allowed carry out God's benevolent orders. Under him peace prevailed at by regulation. The Government That the natives of Kowloon at- home and abroad. All this was bureaux had to accept. It was said tach much importance to the owing to the help of Chan Mo, that, principally through these temple is evident from the large who came down to guide the 6 manipulations, one clerk in the incense containers bestowed in Armies of the Emperor. To Ministry of Finance, while having the place of worship. an official salary of 30 or 40 taels,

millions!

Squeeze Stopped had bought back the notes at a fix- Dragon Monastery. ed price that this system of squeeze from these manipulations stopped. Since the introduction of modern Tsang Foo bought the image at worship of this god was more banking, more emphasis was laid Canton for a sum of \$1,200. It zealous in the Sung Dynasty than on the reserve, the printing, and measures 8 feet high, and weighs in the reign of Yuen, and thereissuance. With the exception of over 1,000 catties. At the left of fore his temples could be found the panic of 1916 the large Covern- its robe are inscribed the 18 everywhere in the Empire.

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translation:-History of the brass image of

It was not until the Government the god "Chan Mo" in the Five temples built in honour of Chan

ment Bank notes were reldom quot- characters, "Yam Chai Tuk Li Kwong Tung Chu Chi Shi Pok Rotarian Young thanked Mr. Hu Kim Kun Im" (Imperial Inspector- tured under the supervision of a Salt Commissioner), but the part From this we can tell that it was beneath this has been torn away. made at Peking and during the At the right corner are found the Dynasty of Wing Lok. The date 17 characters, "Tai Ming Man Lik Kwai Mau of the Emperor Mau Sam Shap Yat Nin Shui Chi Kwai Lik inscribed thereon is the date Mau Kwai Chau Kat Yat Kin" of the erection of the Temple and (manufactured on a lucky day in | not the date of the manufacture. the 9th moon of the Kwai Mau of the image. The Imperial Inyear, i.e., the Thirty-First year of spector-General of Canton Ship-Man Lik of the Great Ming ping and Salt Commissioner en-Dynasty). On the back of the graved on the image, was the image there are 21 characters in builder of the Temple, but unfor-3 rows, which read thus:- "Pak | tunately his name has been torn King Shun Tin Fu Tai Hing Yuen off. However, during the Dynasty Cheung Chiu Wong Tso Kun Tso of Shan Chung many servants of Chu Chi To Shi Tong To Chan" the Imperial Household were sent (manufactured under the super- out to make heavy levies on the vision of Cheung Chin and Wong income of merchants, and from Tso of the Tai Hing District of | this we can deduce that the image the Shun Tin Prefecture, Peking | was brought to Kwong Tung from and Tong To Chan, the Priest in Peking by one of such servants, Charge). The image was the pro- and was enshrined in a temple at perty of the Sze Tsz Shim Lam | Canton after the name of the Monastery, and that it fell into manufacturer and the date of the hands of some ordinary in- manufacture had been engraved dividuals after the political change on it. in the San Hoi year. On refer- Alas! over 500 years have elapsence to some Taoist Authorities, ed since the Wing Lok Dynasty. it has been found that "Chan Mo" The image was removed from was born in the 3rd moon of the Peking to Canton, and again from 3rd year of the Emperor Hoi of a Taoist Temple into a Buddhist the Tsui Dynasty. He was born Monastery and just some time ago a divine sage. He took oath to it had a narrow escape from be remove all evil spirits, and to pro- ing destroyed. Can it be the case tect the people. He gave up his that even a lifeless object has its secular life, and took up the study time of prosperity and misfortune? of Taolsm. After pursuing his study in Mo Tung Hill for 43 Now Mr. Tsang having obtainyears, he succeeded in becoming ed the image, has erected a an immortal. He took the North | temple for it at Kowloon under under his protection. He showed, the name of the Five Dragon his appearance on the solicitation Temple the very original name of of any man, and suppressed any the Monastery from which it evil spirit when asked to. He came. This history is written for came down among the people the advice of those who may worevery Kang San or Kap Tsz day ship the god and pray him to reand every 8rd or 7th day, to re- move any cause of misfortune. move all chuses of misfortune. Written by the True Retired It is stated in the Annals of the Scholar of Kowloon on the 15th Mo Tung Hill that the place of the 12th moon of the Yam Shul where Chan Mo resided in retire- year (31.1.23). ment, was the Five Dragon Chop of Chan Pak-to. Monastery. During the Dynasties Chop of the True Retired of the Emperors Tong Tai Chung Scholar of Kowloon (nom-de-plume and Sung Chan Chung, he show of Chan Pak-to).

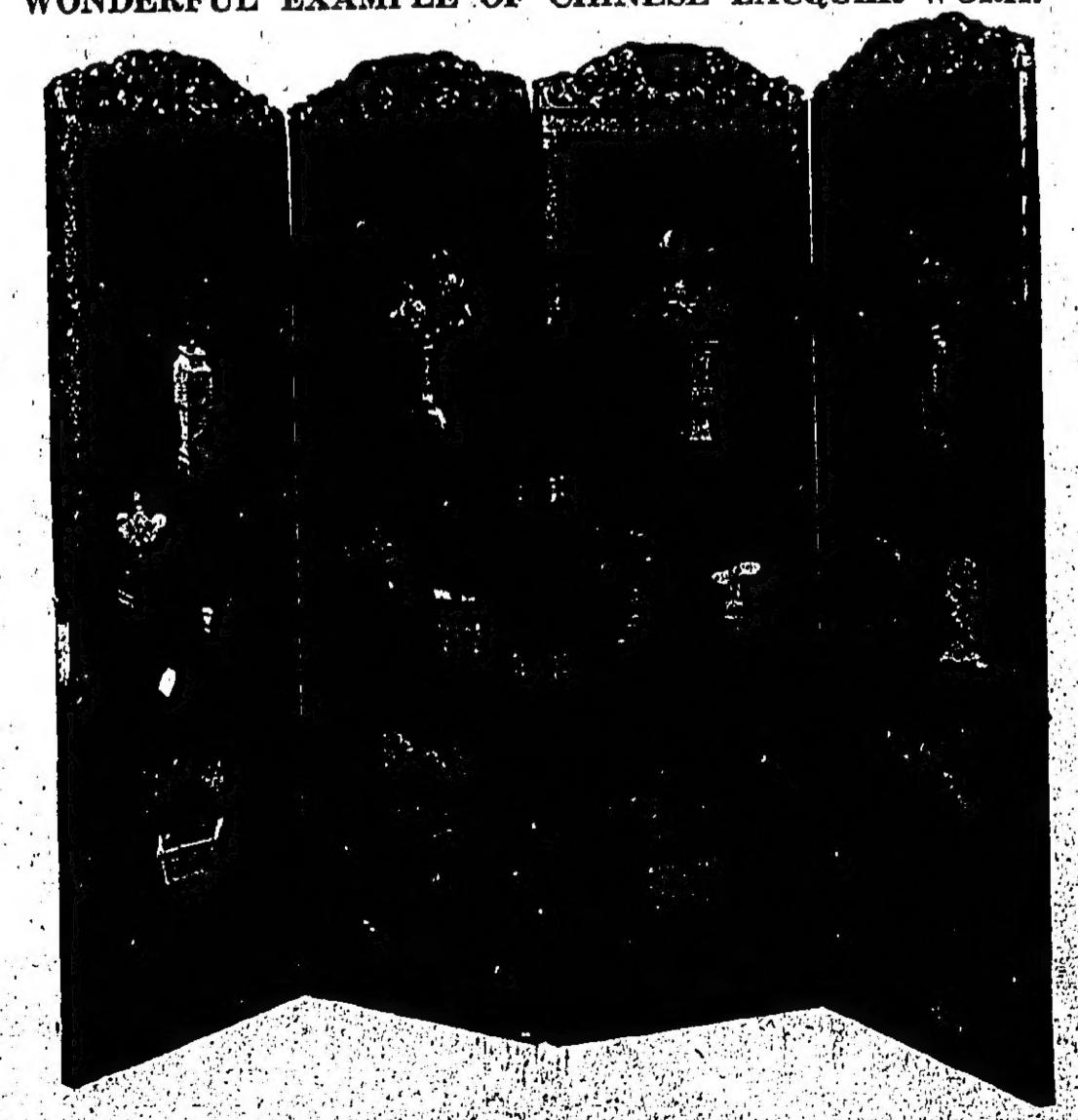
"Five Dragon Temple" at Kow- fed great divine prodigy on differfoundation of the Sung Dynasty. Kam Luk Temple

Therefore, the Kam Luk Temple able in Mr. Tsang's house which was built, and the Five Dragon adjoins the temple. The grounds | Monastery was renovated to make contain buildings of strictly Chin- offerings to him every year. In ese type and the semi-European | the years of the Emperor Wing type while a Chinese pond has Lok of the Ming Dynasty, great two foreign-style rowing boats in | development was again made to it and the garden has a wind- this Temple and Monastery. In driven water condenser made in the record of the Mo Tung Hill by Wong To-kwan, will be found There are images worked in the following quotations:-"Powerbrass of a tortoise and a snake ful is Emperor Shing Tso. He is award his services, great repairs were made to his Temples. Then owned property worth 50 to 60 Below we give an interesting prosperity reigned throughout the millions! peror was extended to the farthest country. Indeed the different Mo were as numerous as stars in "Mr. Tsang Shiu-wing alias the sky." This shows that the

Made At Peking This brass image was manufac-

The Temple

WONDERFUL EXAMPLE OF CHINESE LACQUER WORK.



CHINESE lacquer ware was first invented by the Shen Shao Lang Kee family, of Focchow, in the Ch'ienz Lung Dynasty. Models are first made of clay and subsequently covered with a layer of fine silk and lacquer. Each layer takes from three weeks to two months to dry, and as many as thirty layers are frequently employed on each piece. The above screen took nearly five years to complete, and is said to be the finest example of the work ever made. Descendants of the original family made this screen which is on view at Komof and Komor's Salon,

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HANDMADE CANTON AND IRISH DRAWNWORK EMBROIDERIES. SILK SPANISH SHAWLS. SKIRTS, KIMONOS. IVORY, CLOISONNE, PEWTER, and LACQUER.

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that rooms with bath are not includ-

ed in Cruise fare. The Cruise

ments when every effort will be

made to secure same, but no guar-

Optional Shore Excursions

Members holding Exchange Or-

Shore Excursions are respectfully

requested to turn them in at the

Cruise Office promptly when call-

As the Optional Excursions are

limited in respect to numbers, Mem-

Meals on Board

First

Sitting

Port Departures

Cruise Members are respectfully

requested to advise their Room

Stewards of their re-embarkation on

the ship preparatory to its sailing.

Sailing date and departure hour

from each port will be conspicu-

ously posted. The ship will sail

promptly at the hour advertised to

meet tidal or other urgent reasons

of operation and the Company can-

members failing to re-join the ship.

Cruise Office

daily from 9.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. ex-

cept while the ship is in port, when

the Staff is engaged with shore ex-

cursion duties.

6.15 p.m. 7.30 p.m.

Second

Sitting

antee can be entered into thereon.

TEN TIPS

one hotel or another, consistent with priority of application and the Which Tourists Should amount of accommodation available, but no guarantee can be enter-Observe ed into.

HELPFUL ADVICE

Port Regulations-Arrival

Officer should be given early ad-Landing at most ports is prohibited until after the ship has vice of any specialshotel requirebeen passed by the Health, Immigration and Police authorities. Due notice will be given regarding attendance of Cruise members and delay and discomfort to all will be avoided by prompt attention to ders issued ashore for Optional these important matters.

Party Registration Cruise Members are respectfully ed for, in order that final arrangerequested to note the following, ments may be made in respect of which will apply generally when each party. making up parties for shore exeursions:

It is realized that Cruise Mem- | bers desirous of availing thembers will wish, when travelling | selves of such, and who have not ashore, to move with friends. For already purchased orders for them this reason it is not desirable that ashore, should enquire at the Cruise allotments to Party A, B, or C, etc., Office as to vacancies available. should be made at the Cruise Office, without giving members an oppor- Two sittings will be arranged for tunity to voice their preference for meals on board ship, to be served one party or another. Prior to at fixed hours. Necessary alterareaching each port, shore pro- tions in meal hours to conform with grammes will be distributed, to en- shore excursion arrangements will able members to study shore and be notified on ship's Bulletin party arrangements. Members Boards. Where a continuous or should then decide with whom they running meal is notified, Cruise would like to go sightseeing and re- Members should take any seat gister for the party of their available and not wait until their choice. As the various parties are own becomes vacant. restricted in number, party allot- Regular meal hours on board will ments will be made in the order in be as follows: which applications are received.

Timely notice will be given members of the date, place and hour at | Breakfast ... 8.00 a.m. 9.00 a.m. which each port party registration | Luncheon .. 12.30 p.m. 1.30 p.m. will be opened. When registration | Dinner is made party allotment cards will be issued.

Non-Attendance at Party

Registrations Shore excursion features ar identical for all parties. To many therefore, it will be a matter of indifference with which party they move. Should Cruise Members not register for any party, it will be assumed by the Cruise Office that the matter of party allotment has been left in their hands and allotment will be made and party card sent to member's room.

Shore Excursions

To avoid congestion and confusion and to ensure their own comfort, Cruise Members are requested to adhere to the hour shown for the movement of their party and to move only with that party.

Disembarkation Members will best study their own comfort and convenience by avoiding crowding in the corridors or at the gangway. Fifteen minutes before the assembly hour for each party, a gong will be sounded throughout the ship. Members should remain on deck or other convenient place panding such notification.

Motor Cars

In filling motor cars for shore excursions, the Cruise Management work, wherever possible, on the rule of placing four persons in each seven-seated car and three persons in each five-seated car, in addition to the driver. Cruise Members constituting themselves into small party groups for motor car trips should proceed ashore promptly together to give themselves every opportunity of securing the desired space, keeping in view car loading as already stated.

It is respectfully notified that conveyances cannot be held for those arriving late, as the common comfort and convenience of all must be studied by the Management.

The co-operation of Members of the Cruise is earnestly solicited by the Management, looking to the convenience, comfort and pleasure of all concerned.

Hotel Accommodation When hotel accommodation ashore is included in tickets, due

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IN HONG KONG

What "Australia" Passengers Will Do

FULL PROGRAMME

Following is the programme; 3.45 p.m.—Tea at Repulse Bay arranged for visitors aboard the Hotel. C.P. s.s. "Empress of Australia" 16:--

and for ready recognition of party label on motor cars, etc., the members of the Cruise will be design-

The "Empress of Australia" alongside Kowloon Wharf, less than two minutes' walk from Kowloon-Hong Kong Ferry Wharf.

4.45 p.m.—Continue ride around while the vessel is in Hong Kong the Island via Deep Water Bay, from February 13 to February Aberdeen, Pokfulum, the University, Government House, Botanical For convenience in identification Gardens, Garden Road to Ferry Wharf. By Ferry to Kowloon. 7.30 p.m.-Dinner will be served

in the Peninsula Hotel. 9.00-12.00 midnight.—Dance at Peninsula Hotel.

convey guests to and from Dock walk from ship side, for a 60-mile gate and the Peninsula Hotel. Note .- (Optional Tour No. 14 to Canton-Passengers taking this Lunch on board "Empress of Austour must be back on board "Em- tralia." press of Australia" before 9.00 p.m.,

transfer to Canton steamboat which leaves Hong Kong at 10.00 p.m.) Second day .- Thursday, Febru-

modern part of Canton, returning to steamer at 4.00 p.m. 4.80 p.m.—Steamboat leaves for Hong Kong. Dinner on board Canton steamboat.

10.30 p.m.—Arrive Hong Kong. · Transfer by special ferry from Canton steamboat to "Empress of Australia."

11.00 p.m.-Arrive "Empress of Australia."

Note.—Those members of the party not taking the optional trip to Canton will have the day free. Ferry tickets will be provided.

Third day .-- Friday, February 15. Breakfast on board "Empress of Australia."

9.00 a.m.—Automobiles will be Automobiles will be available to waiting at Dock Gate, on minute's trip around the New Territories. 12.30 p.m.-Arrive ship side.

> 2.30 p.m.-Ferry Kowloon to Hong Kong tickets to be provided.

Walk to Blake Pler, less than one minute's distance from Ferry Wharf, where automobiles will be waiting to convey passengers to the

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Party "B."-(White Card)

"Empress of Australia" is expected to arrive 8 a.m. and berth alongside Kowloon Wharf, less than two minutes' walk from Kowloon-Hong Kong Ferry Wharf.

Morning of arrival free. Ferry ickets Kowloon to Hong Kong and back provided. Lunch on board "Empress of Australia."

2.10 p.m.-Leave "Empress of Australia."

2.15 p.m.—Ferry leaves for Hong Kong: tickets will be provided. 2,30 .p.m.—Automobiles will be waiting at Blake Pier, less than one minute's distance from Ferry landing, for trip around the Island via Causeway Bay, Shau-ki-wan and Tytam Reservoir to Repulse Bay Hotel.

3.45 p.m.—Tea at Repulse Bay

4.45 p.m.-Continue ride around the Island via Deep Water Bay, Aberdeen, Pokfulum, the University, Government House, Botanical Gardens, Garden Road to Ferry Wharf. By Ferry to Kowloon tickets will be provided.

7.30 p.m.—Dinner will be served in the Peninsula Hotel. 9.00-12.00 Midnight.—Dance

Peninsula Hotel. Automobiles will be available to convey guests to and from Dock gate and the Peninsula Hotel.

Second day.—Thursday, February 14.

Canton Optional Tour No. 14B .-Breakfast on board "Empress of Australia." Walk to station of the Kowloon Canton Railway, two minutes' distance from ship side. 7.40 a.m.—Special Train leaves

for Canton. 11.30 a.m.—Special Train arrives Canton. Lunch on train. Party will be divided into two groups. Group 1 .- 12.00 Noon. Automobiles will be waiting at Railway

Pagoda. 2.00 p.m.—Change into chairs for a visit to the old city terminating

at the Canton Railway Station. Group 2.-12.00 Noon. Chairs will be waiting at Railway Station for a visit to the old city terminat-

ing at the Flowery Pagoda. 2.00 p.m.—Change into automobiles for a drive through the modern

part of Canton terminating at the Canton Railway Station. Both Groups.-4.20 p.m. Leave

Canton by special train. 8.15 p.m. Arrive Kowloon and coard "Empress of Australia."

Dinner on board. Note.—Those members of the party not taking the optional trip to Canton will have the day free. Ferry tickets will be provided.

Third day.-Friday, February 15. Breakfast on board "Empress of

Australia."

9.30 a.m.—Ferry Kowloon Hong Kong, tickets to be provided. 10.00 a.m.-Walk to Blake Pier. less than one minute's distance from Ferry Wharf, where automobiles will be waiting to convey passengers to the top of the Peak. Sedan Chairs for sightseeing on top of Peak for those desiring them. 12.00 Noon.-Automobiles from

Peak Top to Ferry Wharf. Ferry Hong Kong to Kowloon tickets will be provided. Lunch on board "Empress

Australia." 2.00 p.m.—Automobiles will be waiting at Dock-Gate, one minute's walk from ship side, for 60-mile trip around the New Territories. 5.30 p.m.-Arrive ship

Lunch on board "Empress of Aus-Fourth day.—Saturday, February

of Australia." Free Day. Party "C."-(Blue Card)

All meals on board "Empress

First day.-Wednesday, February The "Empress of Australia" expected to arrive 8 a.m. and berth alongside Kowloon Wharf, less than two minutes' walk from Kowlcon-

Hong Kong Ferry Wharf. Day of arrival free. Ferry tickets Kowloon to Hong Kong and back provided.

Lunch on board "Empress of Aus-7.30 p.m. Dinner will be served

n the Peninsula Hotel. 9.00-12.00 Midnight Dance at Peninsula Hotel.

Automobiles will be available to First day.-Wednesday, Febru- convey guests to and from Dock gate and the Peninsula Hotel.

Second day.-Thursday, Febru-

On this day Party "C" will be divided into two groups:-Group 1.—Breakfast on board

"Empress of Australia." 9.00 a.m.—Automobiles will be waiting at Dock Gate, one minute's walk from ship side, for a 60-mile trip around the New Territories.

12.30 p.m .- Arrive ship side. Lunch on board "Empress of Australia."

2.30.—Ferry Kowloon to Hong Kong tickets will be provided. Walk to Blake Pier, less than one minute's distance from Ferry Wharf, where automobiles will be waiting to convey passengers to the top of the Peak. Sedan Chairs for sightseeing on top of Peak for those desiring them. 4.30 p.m.—Automobiles from

Peak Top to Ferry Wharf. Ferry Hong Kong to Kowloon tickets will be provided.

Dinner on board "Empress of Australia." Group 2.-Breakfast on board

"Empress of Australia." 9.30 a.m.—Ferry Kowloon to Hong Kong tickets will be provided. 10.00 a.m.-Walk to Blake Pier, less than one minute's distance from Ferry Wharf, where automobiles will be waiting to convey pas-

of Peak for those desiring them. 12.00 Noon.-Automobiles from Peak Top to Ferry Wharf. Ferry Hong Kong to Kowloon

sengers to the top of the Peak.

Sedan-Chairs-for-sightseeing on top

tickets will be provided. Lunch on board "Empress of Australia."

2.00 p.m.—Automobiles will be waiting at Dock Gate, one minute's walk from ship side, for a 60-mile trip around the New Territories. 5.30 p.m.—Arrive ship side. Dinner on board "Empress of Austra-

9.00 p.m. Note.—Special ferry will leave "Empress of Australia" for Canton Steamboat taking Canton Optional Tour No. 14A passen-

Third day.-Friday, February 15. Canton Optional Tour No. 14A .-Breakfast on board Canton steam-

8.30 a.m.—Chairs will be waiting at steamer dock to take passengers for sightseeing and shopping tour of old Canton City, visiting Temple of 500 Genii, Flowery Pagoda, City of the Dead, Ivory Carving, etc., returning to Canton Steamboat. for

1.00 p.m.—Lunch on board Can-

ton steamboat. 2.30 p.m.—Automobiles will be waiting at steamer dock to take passengers for drive around the modern part of Canton, returning to steamer at 4.00 p.m.

Both Groups.-4.30 p.m. Steamboat leaves for Hong Kong. Dinner on board Canton steam-

10.30 p.m.—Arrive Hong Kong. Transfer by special ferry from Canton steamboat to "Empress of Australia."

11.00 p.m.-Arrive "Empress of Australia." Note.-Those members of the party not taking the optional trip

to Canton will have the day free.

Ferry tickets will be provided. Fourth day.—Saturday, February

Breakfast on board "Empress of 9.30 a.m.—Ferry from Kowloon

to Hong Kong tickets will be pro-10.00 a.m.-Automobiles will be

waiting at Blake Pier for trip around the Island , via Causeway Bay, Shau-ki-wan and Tytam Reservoir to Repulse Bay Hotel. 12.00 Noon.-Lunch at Repulse Bay Hotel.

1.00 p.m.-Continue ride around the Island via Deep Water Bay, Aberdeen, Pokfulum, Government House, Botanical Gardens, Garden Road, Queen's Road and Ferry Wharf. Ferry tickets will be pro-

Afternoon free for independent action. Ferry tickets Kowloon to Hong Kong and return provided. Dinner on board "Empress of

The "Empress of Australia" will sail for Shanghai at 10 p.m., Sature day, February 18.

ated as follows:-Party "A" (Red Card). Party "B" (White Card). Party "C" (Blue Card). Party "A." (Red Card) Queen's Rd. C. First day .- Wednesday, Februto connect with special ferry for regard will be given, as far as pracexpected to arrive 8 a.m. and berth ticable, to Members' requests for

THE FAMOUS "TOKUGAWA" SCREEN.



This wonderful work of art is the work of the famous artist, "Nish mura." Mr. Nishimura was one of Japan's finest exponents of silk hand embroidered work. This screen, all hand worked, was the triumph of his remarkable life as an artist. It represents a view of the Nikko temples and is considered to be the finest piece of art which ever has been made by him and one of the best examples of silk hand embroidered screens outside of Japan. There is only one of its kind and it could not be duplicated. It took the artist fourteen years to complete. A marvel of patience and fine workmanship, it could be classed as one of the marvels of the world. In fact, it has been said; "what the pyramids are to Egypt, this screen is to Japanese art." The screen is made in four panels and stands 6 feet 3 inches high by 10 feet wide when fully opened. The frame work being of the finest Japanese lacquer with heavily gilt carved corner pieces and is mounted on ballbearing castors. The screen can be seen free of charge at MESSRS, KOMOR & KOMOR'S ART GALLERY. No lover of art should miss this unique opportunity of viewing this masterplece of Japan's

most famous embroidery artist. Morning of arrival free. Ferry tickets Kowloon to Hong Kong and back provided.

Lunch on board "Empress of Australia."

'Australia." not accept any responsibility for Kong. 2.30 p.m.—Automobiles will be

waiting at Blake Pier, less than one | for lunch. The Cruise Office will be open minute's distance from Ferry landing, for trip around the Island via Causeway Bay, Shau-ki-wan and Tytam Reservoir to Repulse Bay Hotel.

8.30 a.m.—Chairs will be waiting at steamer dock to take passengers 2.10 p.m.—Leave "Empress of for sightseeing and shopping tour of old Canton City, visiting Temple 2.15 p.m.—Ferry leaves for Hong of 500 Genii, Flowery Pagoda, City of the Dead, Ivory Carving, etc., returning to Canton Steamboat

1.00 p.m. Lunch on board Canton | 16. steamboat.

2.30 p.m.—Automobiles will be waiting at steamer dock to take passengers for drive, around the

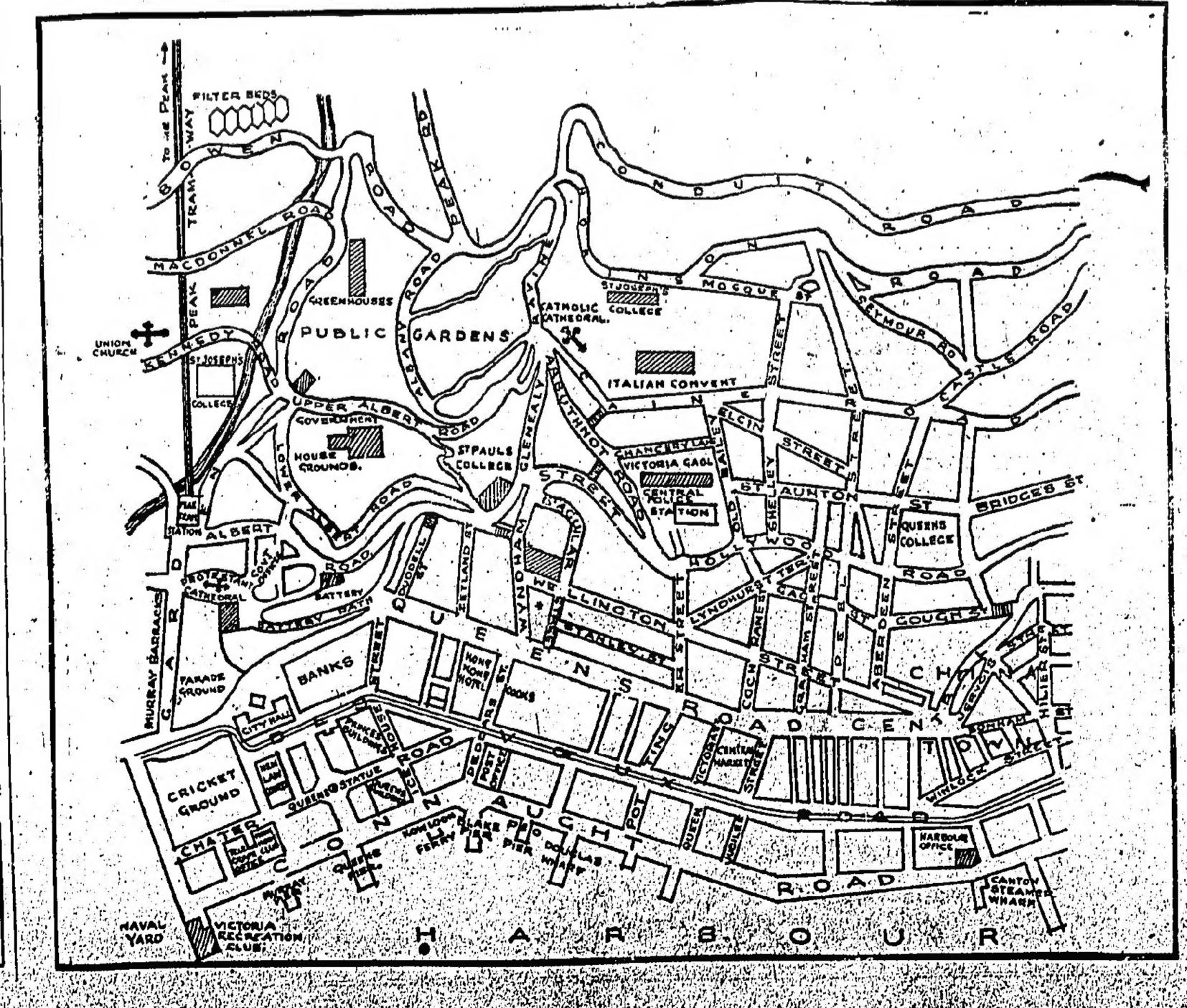
Canton Optional Tour No. 14 .- top of the Peak. Sedan Chairs for Station for a drive through modern Breakfast on board Canton steam- sightseeing on top of Peak for those | Canton terminating at the Flowery desiring them. 4.30 p.m.—Automobiles, from

Peak Top to Ferry Wharf. Ferry Hong Kong to Kowloon tickets will be provided. Dinner on board "Empress of Australia."

Fourth day.—Saturday, February All meals on board "Empress

of Australia." Free Day. (Continued on Next Column.)

OF HONG KONG.



SHOPS TO

VISIT SHOPS TO

WHERE TO OBTAIN THE BEST VALUES

THE SILK CENTRES

D. CHELLARAM

D. Chellaram, in Pedder-street, opposite the Hong Kong Hotel have a fine stock of beautiful Chinese shawls which are specially selected by their manager who is a specialist in this line. These shawls comprise a large variety which should satisfy the most exacting purchaser. The same applies to their exquisite Mandarin Coats and Skirts, the famous old style dress of China. Houri Coats and Japanese Kimonos are also stocked, each beautifully embroidered with elaborate designs too pretty to

describe. « Silks are also to be found in these stores in great variety—the best products of Japan, China and India -both in plain colours and printed. excellent materials for ladies' dresses, etc.

This Store specialises in ladies' hose and men's socks, while its tailoring department undertakes to] execute orders for ladies' dresses and pyjamas, and men's shirts and collars within 12 hours, fit being guaranteed.

Other appealing goods worth examining in these stores are beautiful Egyptian Tapestry and Persian Rugs, as good as any obtainable anywhere else in the East.

THE BOMBAY STORE

Famous for Its low prices and high quality, the Bombay Silk Store is located in D'Aguilar-street, up the slight incline from Queen's-

They give real excellent value in all their goods at the Bombay Store. Their stock, which is second to none in this part of the world comprise Houri Coats, Coolie Coats, Mandarin Coats, Embroidered Shawls and Silk Kimonos of very pretty workmanship and designs, and made of the best material obtainable.

Dresses are to be found here in a wide range of choice, as well as pyjamas, shirts and underwears, and if the ready-to-wear ones do not suit you, orders for made-tomeasure garments will be accepted for execution within 24 hours.

The Pongee suits made to order by this store are well known for their quality of material plus good fit and stylish cut.

THE PIONEER STORE

The Pioneer Silk Store, to give its full name, is situated on the ground floor of China Building facing Queen's-road.

They have a specially selected stock of exquisitely embroidered shawls and old embroidery which represent real value for money. Other goods exhibited in great

variety of colours and pretty designs are Mandarin Coats and Skints, Silk Embroidered Kimonos, Houri Coats, Persian Coats and Happy Coats, all of the very latest styles and especially selected with the greatest care to combine quality with value.

Silk scarves are to be found here in large quantities and colours to suit all tastes. Materials for dresses comprise Japanese, Chinese - and Indian silks of very fine texture, brocades, crepes, etc.

At short notice, even within 24 hours, the Pioneer's tailoring department is able to take orders forladies' silk underwea., men's shirts, pyjamas, etc. Their workmanship and fit is beyond reproach.

"DIAMYO"

For things Japanese "Daimyo" (The Japanese Silk Store) should be visited. It is situated on the ground floor of the Hong Kong Hotel-building, No. 27, Queen's-road Central.

All sorts of Silk and Fancy Goods are stocked in this store. There is a big range of dainty things to choose from, marked at exceptionally reasonable prices, to suit every taste and pocket.

. A "Diamyo" specialty are Japanese Kimonos, well cut in the approved Japanese manner and made of fine materials. They are obtainable ready-made, or may be made to. order, all commissions being carefully executed at short notice.

Other goods include dress lengths. pyjamas, slippers, ladles' "slip-ons," also superior Swiss embroidery, and beautiful cigarette cases and bracelets, men's dress sets, etc., of black untarnishable metal with pretty little gold scenes let in, all beautifully worked as only Japanese craftsmen know how to.

A visit to this store is bound to

FANCY GOODS

SWATOW TRADING CO.

Pedder-street, is well worth a visit. Paper Umbrellas.

They specialise in Swatow Drawnwork which is most appealing and very moderately priced.

Their art embroideries and laces are also of very high quality, whilst in the matter of silk shawls, the Swatow Trading Company have some beauties in stock which are real eye-openers. The stitching is of the popular "short" variety and the embroideries of chic designs and dainty colouring.

EAST ASIATIC CO. .

The East Asiatic Company has its store in the Asiatic Building with entrance at the corner of Flower-street and Queen's-road, and is just across the road from the Hong Kong Hotel.

Amongst the great variety of

goods stocked in this store are very pretty Canton shawls, Swatow Their brocades and crepes are also Drawnwork, Ivoryware includdelicately carved tusks, Lacquerware, cigarette boxes, vases, ten tables and other useful articles, blackwood lamp shades with prettily painted silk sides, amber beads, handbags of fancy design, Peking actor dolls, Pewterware, Mandarin Hats and Coats, only to mention a few of the dainties.

-A few minutes of exploration in this "house of good things" is bound to bring to light very desirable remembrances of the trip out

FOOK WENG & CO.

This is the store for Swatow Linen Drawnwork of exceptional quality and price. It is located on the ground floor of China Building in Queen's-road, right in the centre of the shopping district.

very best in laces, Mandarin Cigar and Cigarette Holders, Nap-Costumes, powterware, brassware, kin Rings, Photo Frames, Pendants, Chinaware Cloisonneware, and Bangles, Combs, Carved Boxes, Ivoryware, while they also have Figures, Chests, etc.,—all very acsome rare pieces of Curios which ceptable gifts to those back Home. should delight the heart of a col-

Take a look round this shop and you are sure to pick up some thing

CHINA FANCY GOODS CO.

afford to miss a visit to the China surpassed. Fancy Goods Company, China They are also dealers in beauti-

manufacturers and general ex- well-made silk undies, and quality porters, they have a very large drawn-work. stock of exquisite handmade Can- Other high class goods obton and Irish Drawnwork Em- tainable at this broideries. Spanish silk shawls, lacquer, pewter and cloisonne skirts, kimonos, etc., all so appealing wares, and last, but by no

are excellent pieces of Ivoryware. Cloisonneware, Pewterware and strongly made. Lacquerware, all of very fine expert workmanship.

THE CHINESE BAZAAR

The Chinese Bazaar (Tai Cheong Co.) in China-building, Queen'sroad Central, are manufacturers and exporters, both wholesale and retail, of Swatow Drawnwork, Canton Silk Embroidery, and Filet Lace, all handmade under expert super- | Work Co., are the oldest Swatow

Swatow Drawnwork (with em-

broideries in Grass Linen) all in exquisite designs include Bedspreads, Pillow cases or Shams, Table cloths, Teacosy covers, Table centres, Sideboard covers, Dressing enced hands in designs which are covers. Cushion covers, Doyleys, Ladies' Lawn night-gowns and are Mosaic-work (cut work in Irish dainty piece of delicate handiwork.

this Bazaar, very fine examples of with a pleasing Oriental touch. artistic workmanship are colour and white check Silk Shawls, long Scarfs, Butterfly Capes, Satin Silk Table covers, Cushion covers, Dress lengths, Grass Tea cloths, Napkins and Tray cloths.

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(next to the Dollar Steamship Line).

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Last, but not least, are the very Here are also to be found the fine Ivory goods-Ladies' Necklaces,

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Inspection is cordially invited by Queen's-road Central (Corner of Flower-street), of their fine display of native goods.

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Building, entrance on Queen's- ful shawls of rare designs, finely shas, boats with full riggings and carved ivory ornaments, jade pieces | dainty little Chinese pagodas and if As wholesale as 'well as retail of genuine stones in rich tints,

store are means least. Blackwood furniture For beautifying the home, there of essential Chinese design, beautifully carved and polished, and

> Prices here are fair and the quality of goods decidedly of the finest, and value is given for money no matter how small the article bought.

SWATOW DRAWN WORK CO.

Situated at No. 14, Pedder-street, next door to the Dollar Steamship line's offices, the Swatow Drawn shop in the Colony, having been established as far back as 1907.

They are the manufacturers and exporters of the finest drawn-thread work and cross-stitch work, and Art Embroideries, all made by experiboth dainty and original.

lacquer and brass wares all beautifully worked.

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For real Chinese silverware and which will be the envy of your the China Handicraft Co. No. 34, jewellery of the finest quality and workmanship made by Chinese craftsmen, call on Wang Hing, No. 10. Queen's-road Central.

In these lines of goods, they have their prices are decidedly reason-

See the pretty little silver ric-

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(Established 1870). Dealer in CHINESE CURIOS Canton & Shanghai Silk, Grass Cloths, Shawls, Blackwood, etc.

Gold & Silver : Jewellery.

,33, QUEEN'S ROAD, CENTRAL HONG KONG.

you don't "fall" for them you would

be unusual. comparisons.

TUNG SHING

Tung Shing, the little shop in Here are some of the daintiest Queen's-road Central, next door to that you are after. undies. Other Swatow products ladies' silk undies obtainable in the Queen's Theatre are wholesale Hong Kong, exquisite laces, rich and retail gold and silversmiths. Linen) comprising Bedspreads, Pil- and beautifully patterned shawls. They have always in stock a low shams, Table cloths and cen- and scarfs, Mandarin coats and wonderful selection of Jade stones, cloths and Guest towels, each a material, Tientsin carpets and rugs ware, besides exquisite silk shawls, ese firm who have specialised Colony.

In addition this shop stocks all | The beautiful jade stones to be kinds of Oriental fancy goods as found here are the best obtainable well as ivery, cloisonne, pewter, in Hong Kong and second to none, whilst in the matter of jewellery they have ready-made pieces of excellent designs in both Chinese and

approved foreign patterns. What would be more admired at home in Europe or America than the various hair ornaments as worn by the Chinese ladies, or the beautiful ivory figures from the Chinese classics all carefully, hand carved

with a minuteness of detail which is the just pride of the craftsmen who produced them. A visit to this little shop is recommended, and inspection is cordially welcomed without any

obligation on the visitor. LOONG SHING

Loong Shing, jewellers of repute whose premises are at No. 48, Queen's-road Central have a collection of genuine Jade jewellery which is difficult to beat.

The word "genuine" is used emphatically where Loong Shing is concerned. The atress is necessary because of the presence of imitation Bronze & Ivory Figure of Ishin jades on the market, and one cannot be too careful when purchasing

so attractive that not only for and his figure has been adopted as "taken in" by the fakes. It is now copied by students. therefore wise to deal only with re- The figure shown in the picture liable shops. above, is attracting much attention

There is no doubt as to the at the salon of Messrs, Komor and

surprisingly reasonable.

LOCK HING

Here is another of Hong Kong's tres, Napkins, Tea clothes, Tray skirts of excellent workmanship and quality jewellery, and delicate ivory long established and reliable Chinin dainty combinations of colours, which are 'much sought after by dealing in Chinese curies since Canton embroidery obtainable at Chinese tapestries, and lamp shades both residents and visitors to the 1870. Some of the pieces to be found in this shop cannot be dupli-

Kaneda, Exhibited at Komor's Art Gallery The colour of the false stones is Kaneda is nearly 80 years of age,

eigners but Chinese also, are often a model for the art association and

reliability of Loong Shing, as one of Komor. The story connected with Jewellery in strictly Chinese de- the oldest jewellers' establishment it is not without a touch of pathos. signs as well as those in foreign at present in existence in Hong Not very long ago, Kaneda decided patterns are on display in great Kong. This shop came into being to create an ivory and bronze variety. Take a note of their in 1864 and during a period of figure which should be a living for you with a guarantee for the prices and then try other shops, over 60 years in business it has likeness of himself and his art. safe arrival of the goods in any and you will return to Wang Hing gained a reputation not only for The task took a year of patient part of the world. after you have had a chance to make reliability but also for fair dealing. labour, but when finished, those All their fine Jade jewellery—and who know Kaneda, stated that the your stay here will save you money there is a fine range to choose from work was the result of a wonderful as their prices are very fair. Then -are offered at prices which are inspiration. At first he refused there is also the satisfaction of to part with it, but he was ultimate- knowing that you have secured the Go to Loong Shing if it's Jades ly persuaded that he was healthy best porcelain obtainable even in and strong enough to make another. Japan. The bronze part is cast in a soft mould which can be used three or four times, but the face and hands, which are in ivory have to be carved by hand, a fact which preserves the unique individuality of the

> A jade screen in fine carving, supposed to be of the Ming dynasty, in very fine wood and gold mounting, will be the envy of many the Hong Kong Hotel. visitors who collect works of art. In this excellently fitted out The wonderful silk laquered Foo- emporium, you are assured fair chow screen will surely be admired prices, fresh stock, fine quality and by all visitors, and the unique faithful service, which has been collection of cloisonne and ivory their jealously guarded motto ever work is worth the visit to this well since they opened shop in Hong known establishment.

two figures which have so far been

KWONG SANG

of Mr. Kwong Sang in St. George's- carry. the Star Ferry whanf.

jugari Buddhas," which is the proud priced to suit everyone.

WHERE TO OBTAIN THE BEST VALUES cated. Everything is absolutely possession of Mr. Kwong Sang, and

In the lower part is the Buddha

tufts of hair and lucy tails, closely.

resembling the Peking Spaniel

which is, in fact, named after it,

the "Lion Dog." The lion is mount-

ed in diaper pattern saddle, jewel

This is an exceptional Chinese

that an offer of as much

Another rare piece of antique to

Its colour is a fine light

turquoise blue glaze ground

on which is skilfully hand-

drawn in tomato red an Im-

This vase came out of the

Imperial Palace during the Boxer

Rising in 1900, and its first owner

was a Salt Revenue Officer. Later

it passed to the possession of the

Compradore of Messrs. Shewan,

Tomes and Co., Ltd., the manager

of which recently sent a gift of a

Sung Chun Bulb Bowl and a Pai

Ting White Bowl to the British

Museum. The third owner of the

vase was the Compradore of the

Douglas Steamship Co., who died

some years ago. During his life

time he refused an offer of \$10,000

for the vase which is a first class.

specimen of porcelain made for the

PORCELAIN

Keen Lung Emperor in A.D. 1736.

perial five-clawed dragon.

is an Imperial bottle-shaped vase, a

supplement.

VISIT

genuine, and, best of all, the prices the subject of envious admiration of all who had the pleasure of see-

are competitive. Lock Hing's also deal in fine ing it. Shanghai and Canton silks, grass This exquisite picture is made of cloths, embroideries, crepes, chic hand woven or drawn coloured silk shawls, and ivory, bronze, lacquered, and real gold thread of the finest cloisonne ware, porcelain and orna- workmanship drawn in the Imperial ments of gold and silver, and the Palace under the personal superviwork of master craftsmen. Gold sion of the Empress. In the middle and silver jewellery can also be of the shrine is a Manjusari Buddha, and at the back is the finest made to order.

They are also manufacturers of gold thread screen with minute Blackwood furniture both inlaid figures in the circular spans of and carved chairs, tables and stands, bridges. all well made and beautifully finished. 'The shop is at No. 33, Queen's- attendant or "Dog of Fu" with road Central.

KOMOR'S

(Komor & Komor.)

pendants and tassels, and the two A visit to Komor & Komor's Art attendants are in true Buddhist gallery is recommended to all visitors to Hong Kong. The establish- form. ment is under the management of Mr. Komor, an authority on Chi- work of art and shows the Kaishu nese and Japanese art who joined type at its best. There are two the firm (Kuhn & Komor) forty similar Kaishu pictures in the years ago and whose collection is a Museum at Peking which are household word under curlo col- highly prized.

The collection on exhibition is as \$10,000 for the picture the finest in the Far East. You find in Hong Kong was refused by its nrticles there for prices ranging previous owner before it came into from one dollar up to thousands of Mr. Kwong Sang's possession. dollars. Every article is marked in plain figures and visitors are al- be seen in Mr. Kwong Sang's place ways received with courtesy whether they buy or not. Their pack- photo of which is reproduced in this ing and shipping department guarantees that everything sent by them must arrive at any part of the world in perfect order.

Komor's art gallery is situated near the Hong Kong ferry corner of Chater Road and the fine window display draws all day and night smaller dragon in the lower part of big crowds of sight-seers. This the vase and the clouds above are firm, established since 1867, is one in delicate tints of Famille Rose. The Ju-ce head pattern at the of the oldest firms in Hong Kong. The picture shows a self pro- mouth of the vase is in blue, green trait of Ichin Kaneda one of the and red.

UNIQUE STATUETTE

most celebrated artists of Japan.



If it is delicate, dainty porcelain that you want, "Miyajima" (The Japanese Porcelain Store) on the ground floor of the Hong Kong Hotel-building, No. 27, Queen's road

Central, can fill your requirements. They specialise in famous Japanese porcelain of the highest grade, and stock a wide choice of tea sets, coffee sets, dinner sets, etc., in Satsuma, Kutani and Mino porcelain, names which are themselves excellent recommendations for

"Miyajima" goods. An advantage of dealing with "Miyajima" is that they will pack your purchases and forward them

A visit to "Miyajima" during

TOBACCOS

TABAQUERIA FILIPINA

The Tabaqueria Filipina, the noted smokers' suppliers, is situated in the Asiatic Building opposite

The stocks of smokers' requisites carried in this store are large and varied. They have all the best known brands of American When it comes to Chinese anti- tobaccos and cigarettes in stock, ques, visitors to the Colony cannot and they are also famous for the. afford to miss visiting the premises lines of Manila cigars which they

building, Ice House street, opposite Pipes of the best makes in sets and singly are to be found in a Here they will find a rare collec- large variety to choose from. Other tion of Chinese antiques, porcelain, requisites are cigar cutters, Jade, old jewellery and art black- tobacco pouches, cigar and cigarette wood furniture. Whilst in this cases, patent lighters, fancy ash shop visitors should also not miss trays, cigar and cigarette boxes, and the treat of inspecting the Ming every thing imaginable in the Dynasty Imperial "Kaishu" (hand tobacconist's line. All goods are of woven silk) picture of the Man- the best qualities obtainable and

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CAPT. W. H. SPARKES

DIES OF PNEUMONIA IN LOCAL HOSPITAL

HERO OF "SAN NAM HOI"

on board the s.s. "San Nam Hoi" who celebrated his 40th birthday the Hong Kong Police Force which about a year ago, Captain W. H. only last Encember, holds a position is producing keen rivalry between Matilda Hospital at 2.30 p.m., eigns of Europe, and has lived a Kowloon, was taken a step fur- Quick" (2.30 and 7.15 p.m.) yesterday.

six years. ship. The affair, however, result- has in his veins the blood of a long ed in Chief Officer Harry Conway line of mountaineers, who kept Serand an Indian - Guard of the ship bian nationality alive through the being killed, whilst another Guard period of greatest national humiliawas severely wounded.

Honoured By The Government

been Home for the last two years.

Death took place after a very short illness. Captain Sparkes

yesterday afternoon. this afternoon, will pass the nically Commander-in-Chief, al-Monument at 5 o'clock.

MR. W. H. F. CARY FUNERAL CEREMONY AT MACAO

the Green Island Cement Co., an urgent appeal for help to Tsar Hogger's Corner, an S-shaped surplus stores, 10.80 a.m. Macao, whose death, following an Nicholas when the ultimatum of "death trap" at Barnes, at an esoperation for apendicitis, has July 23, showed that Austria-Hung- timated cost of £2,863. already been reported, was buried ary was bent on war. Throughout at Macao on Monday.

a large gathering.

Galloway.

Others who attended the final victory. Parker, A. Ireson, J. M. Hood, left the Army throughout the War was knocked down and killed by a T. H. Smith, G. Buchanan, D. was in March and April, 1916, when bus in Leicester, Stanley Hale Buchanan, R. Buchanan, W. he paid a brief visit to Paris and found she was his mother. Jockisch, A. G. Bethell, H. C. London and received the warm wel-Weisman, A. S. Basto, A. Alvarez, come which his gallantry had merit- Motor thieves stole from the Xavier, Dromoa, Remedios, J. ed. It was then that he received a Robin Inn, Icklesham, Sussex, near-Salles, F. Salles, L. Gomes, V. G. Ceputation, headed by the Arch- ly all the wines, spirits, tobacco, Schonklnin, Gilhornoff, Perdriau, bishop of Canterbury, the Lord and cigars. Adkins, Chalmers, Ollerton, Capt. Mayor, and Sir Edward Carson, and J. Luz, Capt. Jones, Somerville, publicly expressed his conviction Egan, M. de Silva, Dr. Loo, Capt. that in the final victory "the Yugo-T. Fulham, and many others of slav people, united in a single figure who could rally all sections his European and Chinese friends. State, will have their part." This and provinces in a single cause, and of European Y.M.C.A. Kowloon, His beloved wife Zelma, Sister nouncement in favour of the Yugo- been reluctantly, but inexorably,

Annie, Sister Florence, Mr. and slav idea, and those behind the forced into the political arena, as European Y.M.C.A., at Kowloon, 6 Mrs. J. L. Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. scenes were even then aware that the only neutral element in a comp.m. H. B. Parker and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ireson, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Smith, Mr. J. M. Hood, Messrs. G. Buchanan, Officers and outdoor staff of Chinese Maritime Cus-

Grande. Mr. Andrew Caldecott presiding, on which the future State of the Following the loyal toasts, Mr. Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes was to Cumarasami proposed the visitors, be built, if victory should be achievand the Hon. Mr. W. S. Gibson re-led. He was not, however, able to sponded. The President, in pro- resist the Pan-Serb and centralist posing "Singapore," said he had tendencies which asserted themonce had the pleasure of living in selves in the new State, and which, Singapore for eight months, and were represented by M. Pashitch.

mond, has 200 members.

LIFE OF A KING YUGO-SLAVIA'S SOLDIER

AND RULER SIMPLICITY AND CHARM

One of the heroes of the piracy | King Alexander of Yugo-slavia,

time of his death, the On both sides he comes of pure loon Cricket Club. The position deceased had been a seafarer since Serb stock. His father, King Peter, at the present time is a tie of ger Than Banum's," and Cathryn." fond. he was a lad, and was at one time was elected to the Serbian throne seven points each, with three a pilot at Colombo. He came out after the assassination of King more events to be contested, Dove." to China some 30 years ago and Alexander Obrenovitch in 1903. His namely, boxing, golf, and tennis. early became connected with grandfather, Prince Alexander, Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, reigned over Serbia from 1842 to tween the following teams:--having command of the s.s. 1858, when she was still a vassal "Peking" on the Shanghai-Ningpo state under the Turks. His greatrun. That was about 25 years grandfather, Kara George, a well- P/S. Russell, P.C. Rogers and "Revenge." Captain Sparkes had been to-do peasant who could not write P/S. Post. on the West River for about nine his own name, won the leadership years, and had been in command of the Serbs in their first war of of the "San Nam Hoi" for the last independence by his rugged genius and P.C. Allen. and impetuous valour, and gave his When the "San Nam Hoi" was name to the national dynasty. pirated last year, Captain Sparkes Through his mother, King Alexanand Chief Engineer M. F. der is grandson of Nicholas, the Houghton put up a stubborn fight last King of Montenegro, one of the against heavy odds and succeeded astutest of Balkan statesmen and a in driving the pirates from the poet of no mean order; and thus he

If the King stands nearer by For their bravery, both Captain blood to his own people than any Sparkes and Chief Engineer monarch of any European country Houghton were honoured at Gov- for centuries past he has, also, ernment House at the end of shared their good and evil fortunes August last by the Hon. Mr. W. T. to a degree for which there is no Southorn, C.M.G., then Officer Ad- parallel, save, perhaps, in the case ministering the Government of King Albert in the tranches of Captain Sparkes was presented Flanders. Born at his grandfather's Court in Cettigne he spent Gowans. Sparkes leaves a widow, but no father in Geneva, and in the Corps Jessop, L/S. Brittain and P.C. children. Much sympathy will be des Pages of the Tsar in St. Peters- Linden. felt for Mrs. Sparkes, who has burg. He only became heir to the folly of his elder brother George 1min. 391/secs. led to a change in the order of succession at the height of the Bosnian | tested race. Although Kowloon contracted a cold some weeks ago, annexation crisis. In the Balkan but he did not become seriously War of 1912 he held nominal comill until last Friday when he had mand of the First Army, and won to go to hospital. There his ail- his spurs at the diclsive battle of ment was diagnosed- as pleurisy. Kumanovo. His share in the two. Each man ran 220 yards. Treatment was successful for victorious campaigns against Tursome time, but pneumonia super- key and Bulgaria made him popu- prise:vening, Captain Sparkes gradual- lar in the Army, and when ill-health ly sank until death intervened forced King Peter to delegate his powers, the young Prince, on June The funeral, which takes place 24, 1914, became Regent and techthough, of course, control lay with Kowloon.

the military chief. Years of the War Within a week of this change the murder of the Archduke at Serajevo causid an acute crisis in the years which followed, the jects, the great retreat across Al- dale (Mon.) Steam Coal Colliery.

The chief mourner was the de- bania. When the remnants of the ceased's widow, who was accom- Serbian Army were reassembled on panied by Mrs. H. B. Parker, Mrs. the Macedonian front, he remained a poll of the ratepayers on the ques-T. H. Smith and Mrs. J. L. with them until he and they could tion of obtaining powers to substire-enter Serbia together after the tute omnibuses for trams. funeral were Messrs. H. B. The only occasion on which he Running to help a woman who

Serb and Orthodox), disapproved of by definite constructive action.

that evening presented the first real The attempt upon the lives of the opportunity since his return to Regent and the Prime Minister on Kuala Lumpur to say (outside the June 29, 1921, as they were return-A children's church in connection country, and it is in a certain sense ruptionist scandals possible and Quiet hour, 9 p.m. with Holy Trinity! Church, Rich- his missertune that the parties have resulted in a steady deterioration of Feb. 28 At Rowloon Y.M.C.A. failed to throw up any outstanding the administration.

POLICE AT PLAY

ALL-SPORT COMPETITION RESULTS

INTERESTING POSITION

The All-Sport Competition of life crowded with adventure, states | ther by the running of two relay Sixty-five years of age at the a correspondent of "The Times." races on the grounds of the Kow- tain Young Man." The two relay races were be-"A" Team Relay

Hong Kong.—L/S. Shepherd.

Lamont, Mr. Calthorp, A.S.P., Distance: One mile. Won by Kowloon by many yards. Time:

3mins. 58secs. yards, one 440 yards and two Luard, Theatre Royal, 9 p.m. Lamont proved to be a very good p.m.) best half-miler in the Police Kid Brother." distanced him, gaining a lead of Theatre, 9.15 p.m. was another outstanding runner Theatre; "Emden." for the Kowloon team in this race.

"B' Team Relay Wagland, L/S. Harris and L/S. p.m.)

Distance: Half a-mile. Won by

Kowloon by many yards. Time: This was a more closely con- Royal. also led all the way from the "Love." start, there was not much dis-

tance between the respective run-Events decided to date com-

Billiards.-Won by Kowloon, Bowls.—Won by Hong Kong. Rifle Shooting.—Won by Hong whist drive at 9 p.m.

Revolver Shooting.—Won by United Services v. Shanghai. Kowloon. Footoall.—Draw, 1 goal each.

Mr. W. H. F. Cary, of fell to Prince Alexander to address the diversion of the highway at Factory, Quarry Bay, a quantity of among whom were Mr. J. H. Pedlow, Plans have been approved for the

Joseph Webb, 28, married, and Mr. J. L. Galloway officiated at Prince Regent lived the life of a Willie Simms, 18, of Blackwood, the graveside in the presence of soldier, and shared with his sub- were killed by a fall of stone in Oak-

Chester City Council is to take

was the first official Serbian pro- that in consequence the Crown has 6.80 p.m. his Prime Minister, M. Pashitch plex situation, and for that very (whose leanings were strongly Pan- reason bound to risk its neutrality of Hong Kong Telephone Co., Ltd.,

its form and had for that reason | King Alexander is a man of great Buchanan, D. Buchanan, R. absented himself from the cere- personal charm and simplicity of character, and generally open-to Prince Alexander always showed ideas from all quarters. But it is poration, City Hall, 12.45 p.m. toms, A. Alvarez, Chan L. Thong, a sympathetic attitude towards the essential to nemember that he is Mr. H. C. Weisman, A. S. Basto, leaders of the Yugo-slav Committee, above all a soldier, who during long Ltd., Annual Meeting, Messrs. Capt. J. Luz, Ah. Pat, Kwok and realized that unity could not years, when most Heirs-Apparent Leung, British Mess 99, Praia be satisfactorily achieved on a nar- are subject to formative influences rowly Serb basis. He therefore of a pacific and normal character, welcomed the Declaration of Corfu, had to face the ordeal of three Singapore guests were entertain- which was agreed upon by the wars, foreign conquest, famine, and ed to dinner by the Lumpur Serbian Prime Minister and the conspiracy. On the other hand, his Rotary Club at the Masonic Yugo-slav Committee in July, 1917, father has left him a legacy of Hall, Kuala Lumpur, recently, and which laid down the broad lines strongly liberal and constitutional leanings-King Peter once translated John Stuart Mill's "Essay on Liberty", into Serbian. Torn between the carnest desire to follow Quiet Hour. , Speaker, Mr. J. H. strictly Parliamentary lines and a Hunt, 9 p.m. personal preference for the com- Feb. 18-Fireside Discussion: pany of military men, he was in- Education, at European Y.M.C.A. evitably influenced by the perennial Kowloon, 9 p.m. bickerings and kaleidoscopic Feb. 20—At St. Patrick's Hall, 5 changes of party leaders, and at Garden Road, the Rev. Fr. P. Joy, last, convinced that only strong S.J., lectures on "A Book And Its domestic audience), that Singapore ing from Parliament after the measures could arrest the political Story," 5.80 p.m. was a much nicer place than Kuala ratification of the new "Vidovdin chaos and atrophy with which the Feb. 21-Hong Kong Horticul-Lumpur. It had its drawbacks, Constitution," was an evil omen State was threatened, turned in des- turn Society annual show, Volunhowever. It had no Rotary Club, for a new regime which had only pair to his military associates for teer Headquarters. although he believed there was a been pendered possible by the mis help. He has had every reason to E Feb. 22-H.R.V.D.C. Annual inmovement on foot to inaugurate taken tactics of absention adopted be distilusioned at party leadership spection at Murray Parade ground, one there. Mr. R. M. Williams, towards Belgrade by the Croat Pea in these 10 years, alike among Serbs 5.50 p.m. President of the Singapore Asso sant Party. It is no secret that and Croats, and he is known to have Feb. 28-Laying of Foundation ciation, responded in a humorous King Alexander, since the death of resented very keenly, on more than stone of the Kowloon branch of Pashitch in 1925, has been slowly one occasion, the lax moral stand- Chinese Y.M.C.A. Kowloon, consolidating his position on the ards which rendered certain cor-

SHADOWS BEFORE.

COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCED IN THE "MAIL"

"To-day—Harmston's Circus, Praya East Reclamation, 9.15 p.m.

To-day-World Theatre; "Chang." Sparkes, died of pneumonia at the that is unique among the Sover- the policemen of Hong Kong and Chinese picture "Kick Kick Be

Feb. 14-15-Star Theatre; "The

The Great Knight, Errant" (2.30 day afternoon, says the Chinese and 7.15 p.m.)

Feb. 15-Macdona Players' Stage Kowloon.—P.C. Post, L/S. "The Philanderer" at Star Thea-

ance 9.15 p.m. "Brown Derby."

In this event one man ran 880 by the K.O.S.B. as farewell to Mrs. will be sent to the famine districts. 220 yards each. It proved to be Feb. 16-17-World Theatre; "The

(Hong Kong) and easily out- Musical Comedy Co., at Star a monk. fully 150 yards. Mr. Calthorp | Feb. 17-19-Queen's Theatre; It is understood that the first of

Kowloon.-P.C. Woods, P/S. Secretary." Feb. 18-19-Majestic Theatre; about February 22. "Smooth As Satin."

Lammert's Auction surplus stores, 10.80 a.m.

Sports To-day - Interport matches; China v. Shanghai. Feb. 14—European

Tug-of-War (2).—Won by steeplechase meeting of Fanling Hunt, at Kwanti race course, 3 p.m.

> Meeting. Feb. 18, 19, 20-At Taikoo Sugar | There was an audience of some 50,

Guild Office, 67 Des Vœux Road, Rev. and Mrs. Peach, Mr. and Mrs. Central, 6 p.m.

meeting of the "Star" Ferry Co., Ltd., Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co.'s Office, 12.30 p.m. Feb. 16-Tenth ordinary meeting

of shareholders of the Bank of East Asia, Ltd., at Chinese Merchants' Club, China Building (5th floor).

Feb. 16-Annual meeting of shareholders of Hong Kong Realty & Trust Co., Ltd., Exchange Bldg., (2nd floor) Des Vœux-rd. Ctl.,

Feb. 20-China Provident Loan & Mortgage Co., Ltd.'s thirty-second annual meeting, 6th floor, Pedder Building, 12.15 p.m.

Feb. 21—Annual general meeting

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Feb. 22—Fourth Annual meeting Echange Bldg., (2nd floor) noon. Feb. 23-Further extraordinary meeting of shareholders of Hong

Kong & Shanghai Banking Cor-March 1-Hong Kong Tramways Jardine's office, noon.

Miscellaneous To-day - Lecture on "The Religion Of To-day And The Science

Of To-morrow," by Rev. Fr. R. Gallagher, S.J., at St. Patrick's Hall, 5 Garden Road, 5.80 p.m. Feb. 16-Interport Dinner at TUES.

Savoy Hotel, 8:p.m. Feb. 17-Y.M.C.A., Kowloon,

Talk on China, 6.80 p.m.

IN OTHER PLACES

CHRONICLES FROM JAPAN TO JAVA

The Belgian Minister, M. de Warzee d'Hermalle, left Peking for To-day - Queen's Theatre; Shanghai and Nanking recently, says the Chinese press.

According to the Russian papers Comrade Ostrovsky will be tried in To-day-Star Theatre; "A Cer- Nanking. He is charged with disseminating Soviet propaganda in To-day-Majestic Theatre; "Big-Shanghal, Dr. Fischer will de-

As the result of a collision with Feb. 14-15-World Theatre; the C.M.S. "Kwanglee" near the "Rosita," Chinese picture "Kan, Nantao Bund, Shanghal, last Saturpress, a junk loaded with bricks was Feb. 14-16 Queen's Theatre; sunk but the three members of its crew were rescued.

Some 50,000 bags of flour, costtre. Kowloon in their final perform- ing \$100,000, have been purchased in Shanghai by the Famine Relief Feb. 15-17-Majestic Theatre; Society for distribution in Honan Shensi and Kansu. As soon as Feb., 16-Variety entertainment transportation is available, these

Chinese press telegrams state a rather easy win for Kowloon Wizard," Chinese picture "Who Is that Gen. Yang Sen, having been who led right from the start. The Guilty One" (2.30 and 7.15 defeated by the Nationalist leaders in Szechuan, has handed over the No. 1 man for Kowloon, and the Feb. 16-17-Star Theatre; "The command of his forces to Gen. Koo Ju-tung and entered a temple for Force. He ran against Rogers Feb. 16-19-W. R. Banvard's New training, preparatory to becoming

the American financiers interested i Feb. 18-19-World Theatre; in the purchase of the Electricity "Impetuous Youth," Chinese picture Department are due to arrive in Hong Kong.-L/S. Nolan, L/S. "A Courageous Girl" (2.30 and 7.15 Shanghai on February 12 (to-day). Another two American financiers Feb. 18-19-Star Theatre; "His are due a week later, while Mr. A. Brooke Smith is expected there

Feb. 19, 21, 22, 23, 26-Hong Kong Mr. Bennett E. Shaw, M.A., for Amateur Dramatic Club presents 28 years headmaster of the Victoria "On Approval," at the Theatre Institution, arrived in Kuala Lumpur recently, from Penang, Feb. 20-23-Queen's Theatre; having come out by the "Macedonia," and was warmly welcomed at the station. He retired from educa-Feb. 18, 19, 20-At Taikoo Sugar tional activities in Malaya six ners until the last pair got away. Factory, Quarry Bay, a quantity of years ago and the present visit is due to the importunity of the Old Boys of the V.I. in whose hearts Mr. Shaw has found an abiding place. Mr. Shaw expects to spend Y.M.C.A. about two months in Malaya and will be present, says the "Malayan Feb. 16-Interport matches: Daily Express," at the opening of the new V.I. building which is to Feb. 17-China New Year take place towards the end of March.

> Mr. "Pussyfoot" Johnson arrived Feb. 25, 26, 27 & Mar. 2-Hong in Penang recently on his way to Kong Jockey Club Annual Race Burma and addressed a gathering at the Anglo-Chinese Girls School. Dr. Calvert, Mesers. N. Ponnudurai, D. D. Cheliah, D. Y. To-day-Regular Monthy Meet-Peters, Khoo Cheng Hoe, Abdullah ing of Marine Engineers' Guild of Ariff, Mohamed All, Rev. Pykett, China (Hong Kong Branch) at Rev. Hoover, Rev. and Mrs. Schurr, Zumstien, Miss Kenyon, Feb. 15-Thirty-first annual Dumez and Miss Johnston. At the close the Rev. Pykett proposed a vote of thanks to the speaker. He left by the Matang for Mouimein.

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ON THE EMPIRE

WM. HEUGHAN ON DESSONS OF HIS WORLD TOUR

THE OVERSEAS LEAGUE

When Mr. Wm. Heughan, the famous Scottish singer, makes his then you will be the better fitted world tours, invariably he couples and better able to lift your head some patriotic works with his professional efforts. On his first the Empire." tour he was an emissary of the Burns Society and, wherever he went, he found occasion to make direct appeals to Scotsmen to assert themselves as such. Since then there has come a change. Still a stern Scot, Mr. Heughan now calls himself an "Empire Scot," counting no unit of the British Empire as possessing more or better qualifications than any other, but urging all the two countries could come to to work together in unison and on an equality, for which purpose he has adopted the Overseas League. The occasion was a tiffin at the Astor House Hotel, Shanghai, organized by the local branch of the government, we pledge ourselves Overgeas League, which was pre- citizens of the greatest Empire sided over by Sir Peter Grain and attended by a numerous company of handed down to us by our father ladies and gentlemen.

secretary, gave a not very inspiring account of the local branch's efforts to date, but with an underlying suggestion that more could be done, should be, and probably would be. He instanced a few possible developments of the immediate future.

National Societies Not Enough Following an introduction by the came during his first world tour, not sufficient to be a Scotsman only: lof himself and his associates. more was needed. He had even The Scotsmen of the company convinced a Scotsman of that. were a very excited group, of widely (Laughter). He discovered that differing opinions, which they Scottish societies were of no use eagerly debated as they drifted for the work he had in hand. They from the hotel .- "N. C. Daily had their own uses, but from the News." Imperial side, unfortunately they were of no use. Sometimes he found them very strong and holding great celebrations on certain days of the year, and in that way they were all right, but he could not get them to link up in a world-wide organization to do something really worth while. They were a number of little entities that could not do any good in a big sense, although powerful in their own places.

Ingredients of Empire Mr. Heughan continued-amidst much laughter and at least one stentorian "No!"-"They have the potential power for good, but, though I have tried for four years, it could not be done. They have showed during the war are now the enthusiasm, but realized that it was no use being under Scottish auspices for doing good as a whole, It was later that I was told of the Oversens League. The League stands for all that is best in our Scottish traditions, which is as much as our Scottish societies can say. It stands also for the best that there is in the English, Weish and Irish-Societies, and it stands for the Empire.

(Laughter).

"I used to think that the Scots did everything, in the world. It is not really, true. (Laughter) The Empire could never have been what it is if we had only had the Scots, or the English, or the Irish, or the Welsh. It was the combination of all the best in those races, that made the British, Empire. That is what the Overseas League stands for to-. day, and that is why you should all. be proud of the blood that is in you, and why you should become members of the Overseas League. The League gives every individual the chance to do his little bit and help to carry on the purposes for which

the Empire stands," Mr. Haughan said that, to safeguard the Empire, it was necessary for every one in it do his best to mainta'n its traditions. Some said that was not essential, but such people probably never had left their own, back-yard. There never had been such a power for good in the world, and such an example of justice and freedom as the British

Empirely to the design The Mission of Song very easily through song," said Mr. assistants can detect the tinjest right, but it is the song that makes any article. He is also an expert, the difference, and that perhaps is in securing finger-prints from unwhere I come in. There is a won- willing subjects. This he is able derful inspiration in song and to do by sprinkling a little special |-especially those old Scottish songs. powder on any substance the want! Who did what seemed to be the ediperson has touched; and photoimpossible here in those early days graphing the resulted on those old mudebanks? .. Is it not in conjunction with these and possible that some of them were many other features of the work at inspired by some of our old Scottish | Scotland Yard, Lord Byng is make

songe?"taining account of some of the Lord Byng, believes that each conexperiences in many countries stable should have taken and underduring the course of His world tour stood a course of training in logic which, he said, "changed me from being merely a Scot to an Imperial Black! Museum, where are Scot." An outstanding example kept exhibits of every kind useful he said; came from South Africa, in the detection of crime, is being where a prominent man, who had used as a school-room; for the fought against us in the Boer War, younger members of the force. after speaking of the changes in the Another innovation which started country, said .- Even though they about the same time Lord Byng's inheat us, the British handed back to fluence began to be felt is increased we had dreamed of before. It is to, British police officials, famous for

I have never ceased to think of the impression it made on me the first time I saw it, and I have been telling the world about it all the time. Here you have a special duty. You have to uphold the prestige of our race. You must always remember that our country looks to you to d

it. Remember our traditions, an and show your pride as citizens o

Of America, Mr. Heughan sai it was there that he found he coul convey a massage rather bette with Scottish songs than he coul with English songs, especially suc as "Scots Wha' Hat" and "A Mon' a Mon for a' That." The bette understanding there, was between Britain and America and the close gether, the better it would be for the peace of the world. He con

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LONDON'S POLICE

VISCOUNT BYNG'S INFLUENCE:

Unification of all police forces in England under the control of Scotland Yard is one of the many changes that are likely to come as a result of the appointment of Viscount Byng of Vimy as Commissioner of Police in London.

During the short time Lord Byng has been in charge at "the Yard" he has shown himself a born organizer. Those who may have feared that he had lost some of the ability he convinced. The general tighteningof administrative machinery and the introduction of the latest scientific methods in the detection of crime show that the hero of Vimy Ridge is thoroughly alive to his job.

Scotland Yard's. Wireless Station One of the changes that Lord Byng is introducing is the increased use of the Yard's wireless station. The station has its own wave-Tengths, which are frequently varied, and its own secret code. Criminals have been caught with portable receiving-sets in their cars frantically trying to "tap" the Junuary show that imports were secret flishes that go out from the £116,064,000 and exports £66,879,-Yard: Officials say the tappers have 000, being increases of £14,612,000 never succeeded in learning any and £6:485,000 respectively:-Reuthing—even if they have been for- ter. unate enough to hear the Yard

Dictaphones are another feature of the police efforts to run down law-breakers. They are particularly upsful in the campaign against lackmailers.' Also phonograph records are rapidly supplanting a policeman's memory or his notes in taking-statements.

Efficient Finger-Prints The one-department which has received little if any of Lord Byng's attention is the finger-print section. Under Inspector Yandell, this department has been developed: to such a high digree of efficiency that no reorganization, has ... been desmied necessary. Inspector Yandell, who is also a leading expert in the detection of forged money, employs the latest photogra-"You can draw people together phic apparatus whereby he and his Henghan. The spoken word is all scratch or the slightest break, on.

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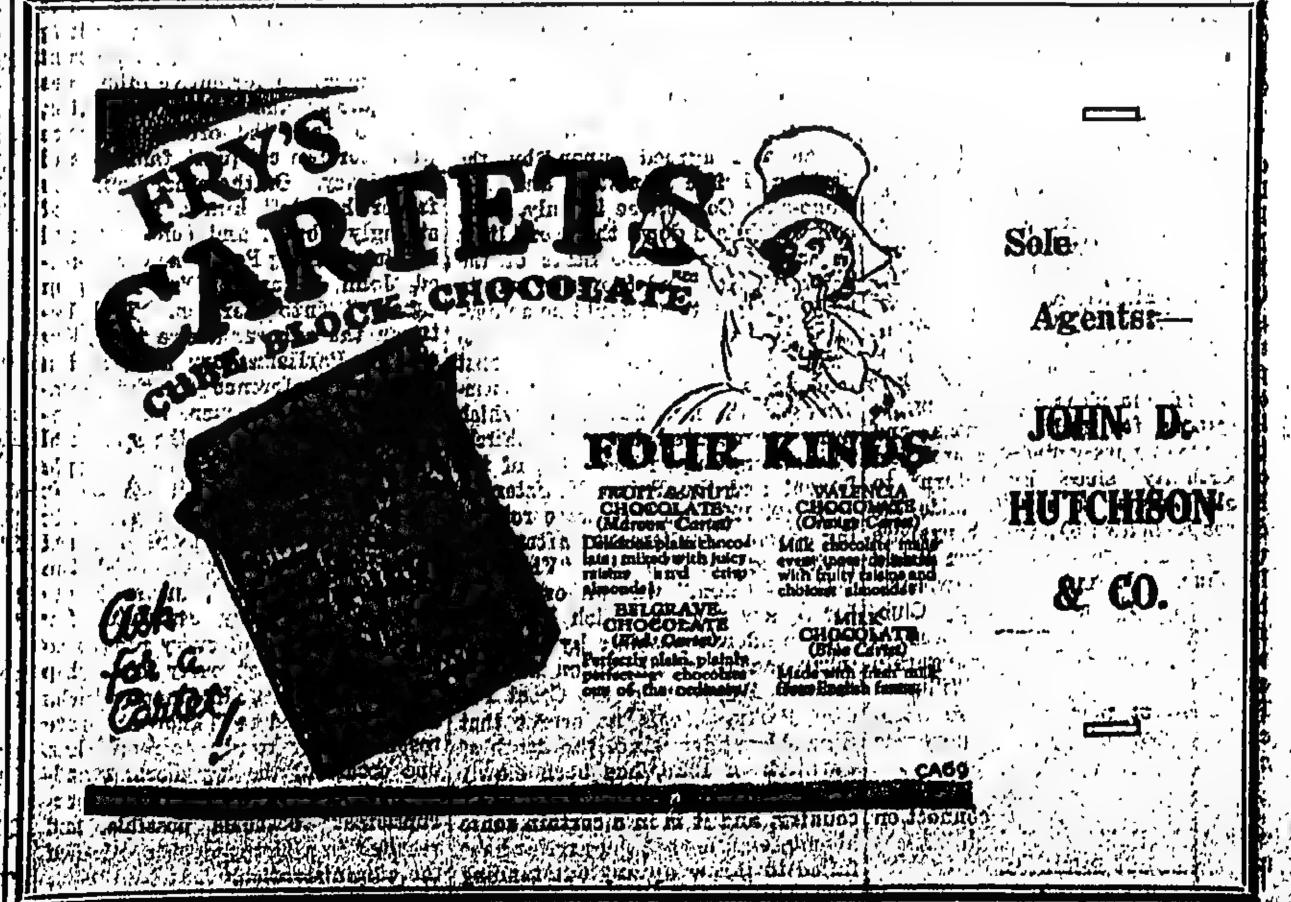
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VISITORS' CHANGES

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The teams will he as follow:-Shanghai

Palmer, and Gash. Pote-Hunt, Favacho, Costa, and Wilson.

Hong Kong Chinese

Pau Ka-ping (S.C.): Ng Kam-chuen (A) and Lai Yuk-tat (A);

Leung Yuk-tong (A), Wong Shui-wa (A) and Lam Yuk-ying

Chan Kwong-iu (A), Fung King-cheung (S.C.), Wong Pak- Midshipman P. N. Buckley ("Cornchong (A), Suen Kam-shun (A) wall"), Surg.-Lieut. E. W. Bingham finish. and Ip Pak-wa (S.C.).

Mau (S.C.), and Shek Pui-tim D. S. W. Johnson (1st Beds. & tim (A).

Athletic Association.

SHANGHAT'S PLAYERS

Some Interesting Personal

A few personalities about the visitors may help our readers during the week's series of Interport matches.

S. V. Gash (centre half)—Is as | well known in "Soccer" circles in Hong Kong as in Shanghai. He, R. K. Silby, J. G. B. Dewar, R. has had all Interport honours, MacIntyre, K. E. B. Pawley, A. J. since 1925-26 and has naturally | Kane, and J. B. Watson. represented England in Shanghai. Is a class half-back, equally good at spoiling, distributing and at-Has assisted the Arsenal and Guildford United.

As Hong Kong knows him, is a hal's passing was faulty. Buckley, great veteran, having played for intercepting, smartly raced through Shanghai since 1907. Interport with a fine try, which was not conand International honours in verted. Shanghai football, and a swimming expert amongst other sporting abilities. Uses his experience, and is a great breaker up of well planned attacks.

really a class centre half, also of the Services converted this try and the Sims type, and distinguished were eight points up in as many himself in Army football in Egypt minutes. and India from 1919 to 1924. A great favourite with Shanghai "Soccerites" and a sound back.

youngster, but bags of experienc- dribbling resulted in Kane scored moves, and as cool as a veteran. ing, the kick failing. A. S. Costa (left half).—A star

Portuguese player, the backbone of the P.S.A. team and popular with all Shanghai players. Posesses a dangerous turn of speed kick failing. (dangerous for opponents) and has participated in all local honours in football. A feeder par excellence and "some" shot.

R. Favacho (outside right) .-Another Portuguese star, who appears slow at times but goalkeepers watch his feet, which are with a fine try. Murray failed dangerous for them. He is a fine dribbler, and usually puts the ball over just where it should go theoretically. Prominent basket ball player, and has gained high honours in Portuguese and Shanghai football.

A. C. Sinclair (inside right) .ous inside. His forte is making quarters were inclined to be selfish in the best taste and marked him the breath of the gathering and it openings; a good dribbler, an opportunist, and unselfish. Requires careful watching.

(Continued on Page 11.)

RUGBY FOOTBALL

UNITED SERVICES v. SHANGHAI

THRILLING GAME

The Shanghai Interport Rugby startling form. The work of the kicked well on occasions. Jones, ed three times, one of which was points) to 1 goal 2 tries (11

points). The teams lined up follows:--

United Services Able Seaman Webb (H.M.S. "Cornwall"): Marine McKay ("Cornwall"),

("Bluebell"), Lt. W. Rickman (1st Reserves: Leung Wing-tak Batt. Beds. & Herts. Regt.), (S.C.), Li Tin-sang (S.C.), Lau Lt. D. P. Evans ("Kent"); Lt.

Herts. Regt.), Note: (S.C.) denotes South | Lieut. D. F. Ynte Lee (Beds. & China A.A.; (A) denotes Chinese Herts. Regt.), Leading Seaman Paddon ("Peterfield"). Leading Stoker Morgan ("Cornwall"), A.B. Wright ("Titania"). A.B. Knott ("Cornwall"), Engine Room Artishipman R. F. T. Stannard ("Cornwall"), and Midshipman F. M.

Griffiths ("Cornwall"). Shanghai.

Walkinshaw: G. S. McGill, G. S. Dunkley, G. F. Bichard, C. N. Brown;

A. S. Newcomb, Bonnar. J. C. Stewart, D. W. B. Murray,

Referee: H. L. F. Ewin.

Services' Initial Dash The Services started with great dash and Dunkley kicked cleverly to touch, on two occasions. Play. "Torry" Wilson (right back) .- | was loose at midfield and Shang-

Fine passing by the local quarters in Shanghai's half saw Rickman dash through the defence, dinner. Dunkley making a despairing effort to hold the winger up. W. E. Palmer (left back).—Is This was a sensational opening as

A great effort by Brown reduced the lead by three points and Shanghai forwards were asserting J. Pote-Hunt (right half) .- Is themselves, but Rickman was nearcontinuing his Interport honours by through, being forced to touch and one of the men Hong Kong on the line. Shanghai forwards was anxious to see. Quite a forced the pace and grand

> The Services attacked and good passing between Buckley, Bingham ed 14 men. and Rickman saw their services

by 11 points to 6.

Exciting Second Half Shanghai pressed on the resump-McGill was over at the corner and much humour. with the kick.

The game was now most exciting, the Shanghai forwards playing in ed that his abilities on the Rugby great form. Silby, Stewart, and field did not complete his accom-Murray being prominent, Brown re- plishments. His references to the lieved to touch 'splandidly under Shanghai team's two performances pressure. Bonnar and Newcomb in Hong Kong, also to certain Hong were getting the ball away oftener | Kong players of note who were than their opponents. The local temporarily "hors de combat," were so dear to the Rugby enthusiast, was and many chances were lost, as an after dinner speaker of the Shanghai in a great rush scored highest class. again, Stewart getting a real for- Mr. G. S. Dunkley, the Shanghai gular Rugby contests Club, navy

ly by one point, the kick failing.

Both teams strove desperately for the lead, but Shanghai forthe backs made ground whenever they received the ball. McGill again broke through the local defence with a local defender hanging on. Shanghai maitained their lead and won deservedly.

Game Summed Up

From the start it looked to be an easy win for the Services. Rickman showed a fine turn of speed. The Services forwards fell away and inteam gave a great exhibition the ball out, little ground was Kong entertainers, Mr. Dunkley this afternoon the Shanghai against a strong United Services gained, the centres making few added to his great reputation on the management have made several fifteen at the Club ground yester- openings. Bingham was selfish and Rugger field as a speaker and changes. Wright (centre for day. With the Services leading by Buckley did not repeat his fine humorist of a high order. ward) is injured and Jones gets one goal and one try to nil in the opening move. Evans and Johnfirst ten minutes, Shanghai re- son were no match for the Shang-Stokes, Turner, and Sinclair are covered finely and at half time hai halves. The Services' forwards were giving the locals a gruelling were ragged, Paddon, Morgan, time. In the second half Shanghai Knott and Lee being the kick. tary, Hong Kong F.C., had been Queen's Park 25

Reid; and Kane, was superior to the a sparkling display. Walkinshaw the evening. From the musicians' Clyde27 8 4 15 Shanghai quarters all played Hong Kong Football Club, dated converted. Snangnal ran out good grandly. Dunkley was a lion for February 12, 1886, the minutes of TILDEN REAPPEARS work, and Brown did many big the meeting, and the names of the things. Bichard, also, was good and members of the Committee then McGill's tries stamped him a dangerous winger.

Newcomb and Bonnar were easily superior to their opponents, Bonnar playing a fine game throughout. Stewart, Silby, Dewar, and Kane were ever prominent in a fine pack, which was going strong at the

The match was intensely interesting, and Shanghai's form was a revelation.

VISITORS ENTERTAINED

Gathering of the Rugby Clans

The "Rugger" community gatherficer Hammond ("Hermes"), Mid- ed in force at Lane, Crawford's Restaurant last evening to do honour to the Shanghai Interport Rugby team. A delightful evening was spent, which will be remembered in "Rugger" Circles in the Colony for a long time.

Shanghai had given two sparkling exhibitions of Rugby football, and their unexpected and brilliant win over the United Services, following their fine showing on Saturday against Hong Kong Interport side, lent interest to the proceedings.

Mr. R. M. Dyer presided, and he was supported by His Excellency Vice Admiral A. K. Waistell C.B., the health of the guests in happy Commander-in-Chief China Station, vein. representing the Services, the Hon. Mr. H. T. Creasy, Mr. J. W. C. Bonnar, the Captains of Hong Kong and Shanghai Rugby teams, the Rev. H. V. Koop, Mr. G. S. Dunkley, and footballers of the Colony.

The Rev. H. V. Koop. (Captain) was entrusted with the Grace before

Service Lauded

The Chairman, very promptly during the course of the dinner proposed the health of the Services alluding to the great help which the Rugby code in the Colony received from the Services.

His Excellency Vice Admiral A. K. Waistell, C.B., in responding, confessed his great regret that he had participated in only one Rugby game, in which the salient features he remembered were that the reforce did not like him and his team captain informed him after the match that he wished he had play-

H's Excellency's spirited start winger in again at the corner, the was infectious, as after proceeding with thanks to the various officials The Services led at the interval of the handling cod: in the Colony and congratulating Shanghai on their brilliant win against the Services, the succeeding speeches were tion, Dunkley doing big things, and imbued with good sporting feeling

Shanghai Tonsted

The Rev. H. V. Koop demonstrat-

ward try and Shanghai led deserved- Captain, on arising to respond, had and army would be resumed within a cordial reception.

Mr. Dunkley belied his fierce and rugged demeanour on the football wards were now much superior and field, with a response which was brimming with epigram and good humour. His narration of the wiles of the junior members of the team to placate the "Taipans" of Shanghai for the necessary leave to visit Hong Kong; also his references to the incidents in connection with a Rugby football match with, the American marines in Shanghai. were uproariously received. In paying a tribute to the great reception he and his team had revariably, when the Services did get | ceived at the hands of their Hong

A Surprise

Mr. Walter Pryde, Hon. Secre- Hibernians .. 26 10 were much superior and showed Webb was on the slow side, but waiting, and after many compli- Condenhants 28 ments had been recorded in his Ayr27 Shanghai, after a poor start, gave honour, he furnished the surprise of Dundee27 formed, which were as follows:-Messrs. Stewart, Lockhart, Hangllar, Watson Pike, Thompson, Metcalf, Gow, Glass, Anderson, Young, Jackson, Cornish, Robertson, Kennedy, Bleeks, Dickson, Banff, Caldwell, Hollsworthy.

regarding the proposed subscrip- John Van Ryn of Orange, New tions, and was accorded a great re- Jersey, in the finals of the Brooklyn ception for his happy thought and heights Casino Invitation Tennis industry in this notable discovery, Tournament by 6-1; 6-4; 6-2. the 48rd anniversary of the founding of the Club being suitably Van Ryn was at the top of his form. honoured.

The Treasured Shield

The ceremony of handing over the treasured shield, also the Interport flag, was duly honoured.....

Mr. Dunkley, in presenting these emblems to the Rev. H. V. Koop, remarked that they were only of a temporary mature, to be exact, for twelve months custody—a remark which naturally was not unanimously agreed to!

The Visitors

Mr. J. Ralston, Vice-President of miles. the Hong Kong F.C., was very witty in analogous references to "Rugger" by cold. and "Soccer" players, which were much appreciated, and he proposed

Mr. T. E. (Tam), Pearce, who responded, objected to the role he had perforce to assume as he had been a faithful player of the Rugby Club for eight seasons and he hoped he He considered that Rugby was the game, a remark which was greeted with enthusiasm. He was accorded musical renderings of West Country airs and much applause on his spirited reply.

Music and Speeches

the main speeches of the evening Messrs. Stopani Thompson, Gahagan, Smith. Scott, and Koop contributed pleasing musical items, Captain Reed. Manager of the Shanghai Interport "Soccer" team, presided at the piano, whilst amongst the extempore speakers demanded by the au-Evan (R.N.), Ruse, Jordain, Lammert, Wales, Reed month. (Shanghai F.C.), Bonnar, Stewart

(Shanghai), responded nobly. All good evenings have a finale. Shanghai Rugby players are returning with enhanced reputations, and with warm feelings of the great reception accorded them by the officials of the Hong Kong F.C. and the Rugby world here generally. Local Rugby devotees are grateful for the spirit shown during the matches of the tour and the help that the Rugby game has received during the stay of the

The fostering of the Rugby code the evening that the usual Trianthe next six weeks.

HOME FOOTBALL CELTIC SLOWLY CREEPING

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Glasgow, Yesterday. Playing in the Scottish League (First Division) Celtic, at Celtic Park, defeated Cowdenbeath by one goal to nil.-Reuter. Table To Date

WELL BEATEN BY VAN

RYN

"OBVIOUSLY RUSTY"

Brooklyn, Yesterday. Tilden, playing in the first tournament since he was reinstated as an Mr. Pryde alone read the entry amateur, was decisively defeated by

Tilden was obviously rusty whilst -Reuter's American Service.

SKATING MARATHON HOLLAND'S ICE TRADITION

REVIVED :

RECORD ESTABLISHED

Leeuwarden (Friesland), Yesterday. For the first time in nearly 20 years Holland's greatest ice tradition, "Efistedentocht," was held, consisting of an ice skating Marathon race, covering eleven Friesian townships in one day-about 120

The weather was ideal but bitter-

There were 300 competitors. Leemburg, a native of Leeuwarden, won in eleven hours, which is believed to be a record.—Reuter.

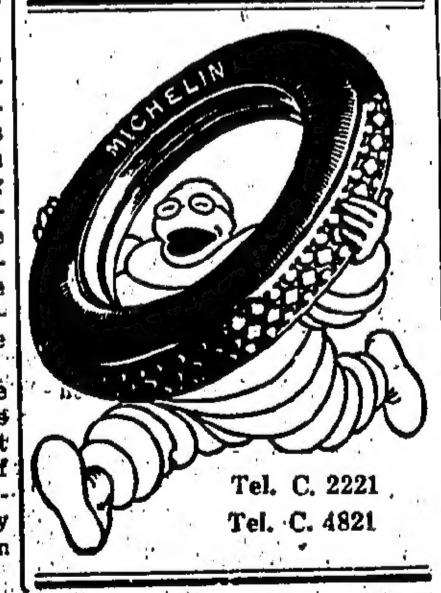
- ARK NOT NAVIGABLE

"The Story of the Ship," illustrated by lantern slides, was given as many other past and present Rugby was a weighty tribute, to the bene- a juvenile lecture at the Royal ficent results of the great game. Society of Arts, John-street,

It was enjoyed alike by children and grown-ups, for it did not need a seaman to appreciate that. Captain Sir Arthur Clarke spoke with the authority of a man who had spent his life at sea, finishing as an Elder Brother of Trinity House.

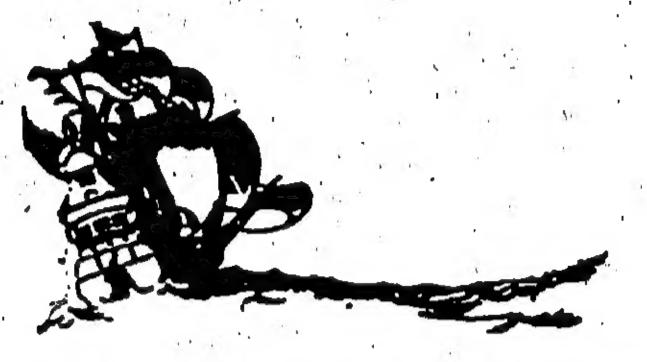
Sir Arthur pointed out that the Ark was not a navigable vessel. which often happens when a ship is designed by a landsman, for Noah was "a ship builder who went afloat; he was not a seaman."

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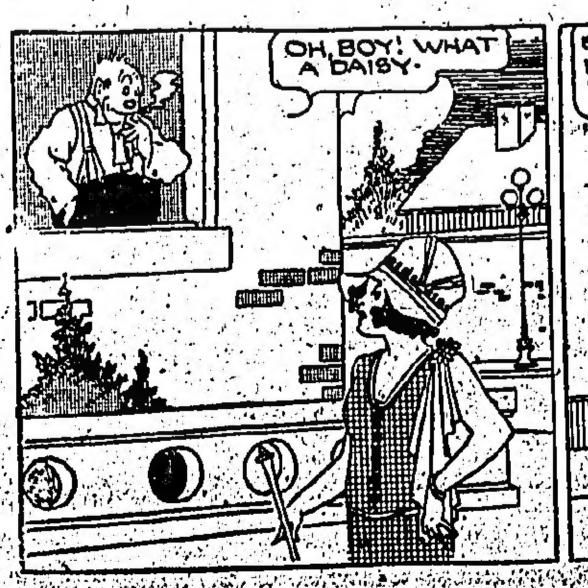
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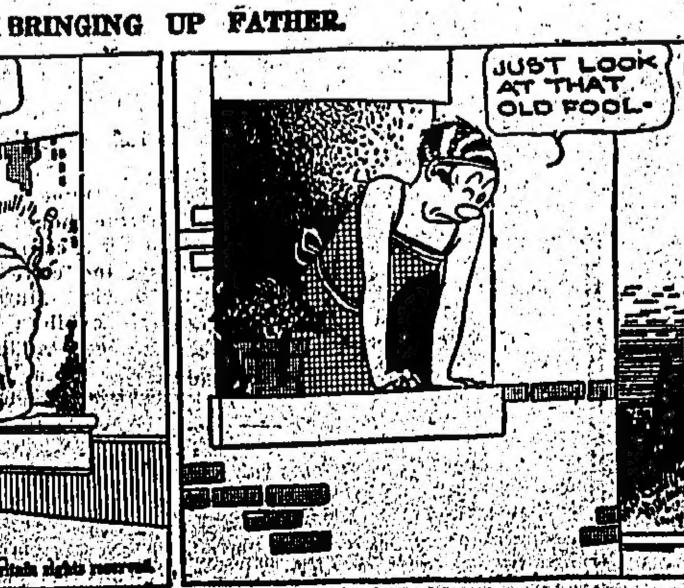
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U.S. President-Elect in Chile



Photo shows, left to right. President-elect Herbert Hoover of the U.S.A., and General Carlos Ibanez. President of Chile, as they rode between cheering lines en route to the American Embassy in Santiago,

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Count Kolks Bernadotte, nophew of Swedish King, with his pretty

American bride.

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Norma Talmadge



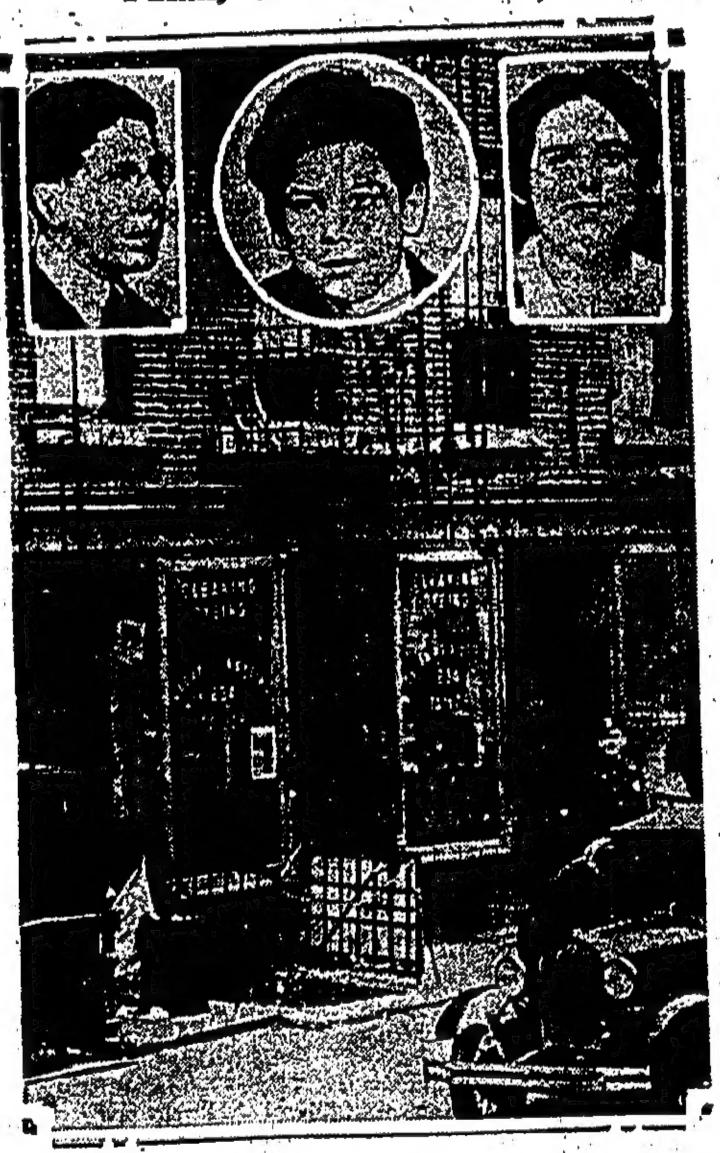
The famous screen star, who has been enjoying the winter sports at Switzerland.

Kidnapping Not a Chinese Monopoly



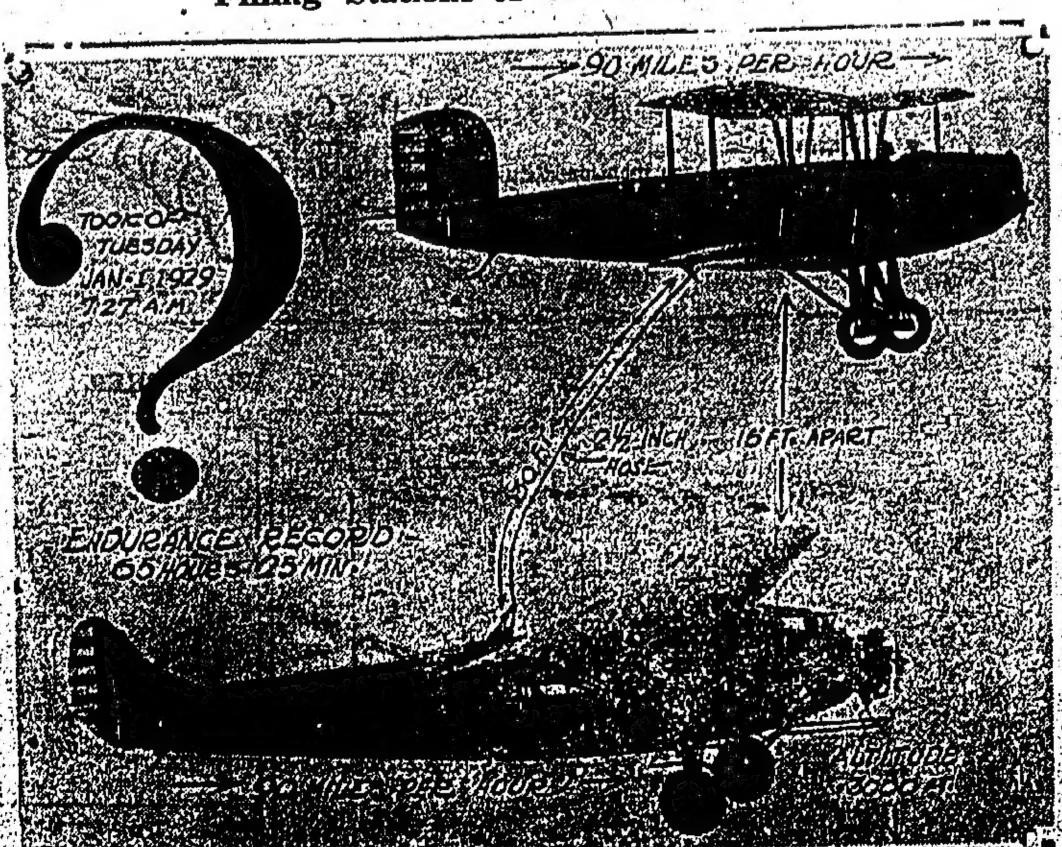
The Americana also kidnap now. Above is Miss Doris Turner, a 16-years-old high reheol girl, who was stolen by a "man who carried a cane and treated me nice." She returned with her hands tied and a gag in her mouth.

Family of 7 Gassed to Death



New Year's Eve was tragic for Michael Rindons (centre), a 12years-old boy. He entered his home at No. 254, W. Tenth-street, New York City, after a visit to relatives, and discovered his entire family dead from carbon monoxide gas. Photo shows the entrance of the Rindone home and, left to right, the boy's father and mother.

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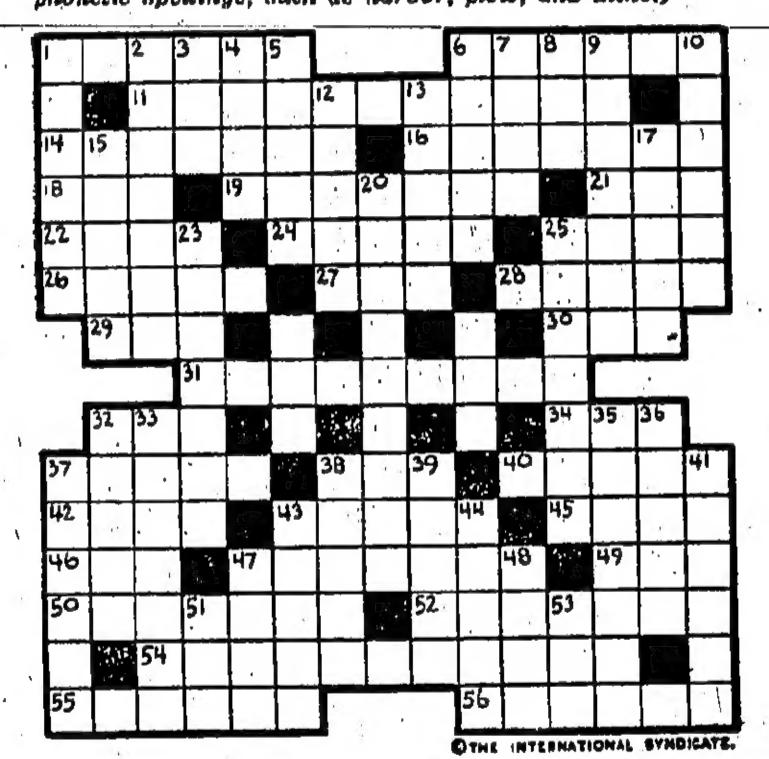
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HORIZONTAL i-Eager desire 6-Highest cards in .euchre 4-Obtain superiority

arsenate of copper 8-Membrane Investing 19-Devices for supplying currents 21-Amusement 22-Wings of houses

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91-Profese 32-Italian for "alx" used as a musical

SB-A dance. 40-Telegraphs 48-Knife handles 46-Prefix meaning 47-Last six lines of s 149-By way of 60-issues forth 52-More full of meat 54-Recompenses 66-Landscapes

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

VERTICAL 1-One who strikes 2-Montally 8-Clergyman's title 4-Disease in sheep

sinister (Her.)

23-A small fish 25-Softening of the 32-One blessed in heaven 35-Conditional clause 86-Brood of hawks 87-Grasps 89-Stock of a tree (pl.) 41-Abounding in stars 48-Member of the nettle family (pl.) 44-Vaporous exhalation 47-Identical

VERTICAL (Cont.)

13-Years of youth

17-Harmonized 20-8kill in forest life .

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9-Structure

61-Eternity 88-Prefix meaning far 7-American patriot ? |-Favorite resort of

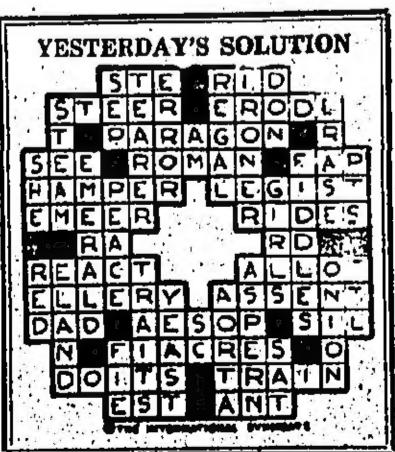
(The solution of the above cross-word puzzle appear in to-morrow's issue along with a new cross-word

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INTERPORT SOCCER

(Continued from Page 9.)

J. Wright (centre forward):-New to Hong Kong. Can get goals against the best opposition; has had a trial with Aston Villa, and has assisted Rothwell Town the Northampton Senior League; has also represented the

Midlands against the South. He is marked dangerous and a rare trier.

A. Turner (inside left).—Belongs to the energetic hard working clever type of inside, a Scotland (Shanghai) player; has an awkward knack of pulling a game says out of the fire in close Club clean player all the time.

L. F. Stokes (outside left).-Comes with a big reputation as a brilliant winger, an opportunist and knows how and when to centre. 'A Shanghai "England" Cap and many other local honours.

F. S. David (goalkeeper) .-- A first-class custodian. An Interport Cap against Tientsin and now and a notification in the Singapore the Hong Kong cap puts him Government "Gazette" of June 22 amongst Shanghai's select. He last year prohibited its being possesses a keen eye and a safe brought into the Straits Settle- with revolters has proved abortive, pair of hands; is agile, and his ments and Federated. Malay the latter demanding the surrender clearances are of the spectacular States.

seen him perform on many occa- allowed in the sum of \$500. sions. A sure and strong kick, and a most useful back.

P. B. Duffy (reserve half-back). -Only owing to the brilliance of his colleagues can he be termed a reserve, as forwards opposed to him give him full marks. A tireless worker, he has already obtained his Interport Cap against lientsin and is a Shanghai England International.

F. H. Moore (reserve halfback). — A brilliant player also and suffers with Duffy by reason of Shanghai's great strength at half back. Belongs to the brainy type of feeder, who is always judicious in attack and great in The First Line of Defence tackling. -C. Jones (reserve forward) .-

Only nominated reserve forward because Shanghai cannot play six forwards, is a brilliant individual ist, with a good turn of speed; is a Reserve Schoolboy International, England and Scotland, 1921-22.

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Captain H. G. Reed (joint mana- DANGER TO CHEFOO

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APPROACH OF REBELS

Chefoo, Yesterday. The situation here which was practically normal a week ago, has now got worse owing to the combination of several independent bodies of Northern troops and brigand bands in middle and East Shantung who are planning to attack Liu Chien-nien and oust him from Chefoo. It is expected that Liu Chien-nien will make a stand at Hwanghaien and if defeated fall of back to Chefoo.

Owing to the not too bright out correspondent stated was being Lercy Webber, has advised all circulated in South Siam. The Americans in the Hwanghsien poster, which was adorned by a centre of the American Baptists, big Soviet flag, referred to an who operate a large hospital, and Amednagar publication called the the Tengchowfu educational centre Kirti, and issued in Urdu and an- of the American Presbyterians to proceed to Chefoo. Several foreign It appears that this publication | warships are here and others are

Evacuation?

Liu Chien-nien's attempt to treat of Liu's arms and ammunition. A man named Teja Singh, a Hwanghaien, to which Liu Chien-F. V. Read (reserve full back). perfume seller, was prosecuted in mien transferred his 3rd division The cratwhile Kowloon favourite; a fearless and dashing full having a copy of Kirti in his posto-day when it was surrounded by back and can also draw sweet session. His statement was that the former 4th division. Liu Chienmelodies from the "Ukulele" he had found it in a train where nien during the past week transfer-Frank is known familiarly as it had been left by another man. red large quantities of munitions "Ukey" Read owing to this dis- He was committed for trial at the and supplies to Muping, 20 miles tinction, and local crowds have forthcoming Assizes, bail being east of Chefoo, and it is now expected that he will retreat there chortly.

> The local wharves are littered with munitions and supplies, pending Liu's departure to Muping. Many Chinese ships have been

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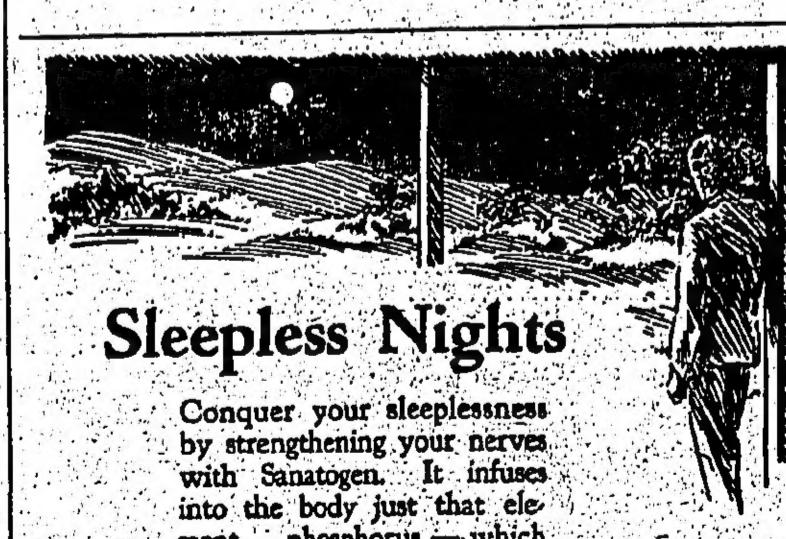
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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY, 17.

Shanghai and Europe via Siberia Emp. of Australia . 6 p.m.

KING HAS GOOD DAY"

HONG KONG,

ENJOYING THE SUN HIS MAJESTY'S BED WHEELED TO THE WINDOW

PRESERVING QUIETNESS

London, Yesterday. though the weather has renamed very cold at Bognor to-day, the sun shows brilliantly during the morning. The King's bed was wheeled to the window of his room so that he could enjoy the sun. For the first time since her arrival at Bognor, the Queen went for a drive this afternoon.-B itish Wireless Service.

"Very Good" It is officially stated at Graigweil House that the King had a very good day. This is the first time "Valy Good" has appeared in any

official report. all air pilots will refrain from fly- Chamberiain's belief that the United House during the residence there of | faith and intended living up to it .-the King.-Reuter.

SIR HAYES MARRIOT

FORMER COLONIAL OFFICIAL OF STRAITS SETTLEMENTS

DISTINGUISHED CAREER

London, Yesterday. The death is announced of Sir Hayes Marriott, K.B.E., C.M.G.—

| Reuter. [Sir Hayes Marriott, K.B.E., C.M.G., was until recently Colonial Secretary of the Straits Settlements. He had for some time past been seriously ill in London. Sir Hayes Marriott was born in 1873, son of the Rev. W. H. Marriott, Vicar of Thrussington in Leicestershire. After a distinguished career at Cambridge he entered the Straits Settlements Civil Service as a Cadet in 1896. His first tour of service was noticeable for a period of four years' work as District Officer at Alor Gajah, Malacca. More than the Fish Industrial Supply and Titles written out and registered in don, stating that the directors,

ings of his successor. As Colonial Secretary he represented the Straits Settlements at 15 new trawiers, provided a capital the first Colonial Office Conference. He received the honour of K.B.E. fish trade and city of Aberdeen. in 1927. As Colonial Secretary his personal devotion to duty, and his negotiations regarding the estabdemand for hard work from his lishment of an Iceland fishing fleet subordinates, came as novelties in at Aberdeen-a matter which is at 1924 to a Service that had been distracted for several years by interne- Fish Trade Association and cine feuds and frictions.

playing his abilities as Officer Ad- the country. ministering the Government of the Cambridge; the younger son, n 1911, is at Uppingham School.] Trade Association.

POSSIBLE MISCHIEF. BOMBAY CRITICISM OF A NEIGHBOUR-

ING PEOPLE CANADA AND THE PACT

Ottawa, Yesterday. After only five hours' discussion the House of Commons, without a division, approved of the Address in Reply to the Speech from the

Throne. In the course of the debate, the Conservative leader, the Hon. Richard B. Bennett, alluding to the Bill for the ratification of the characters continues, and so far, of a little shop girl Kellogg Pact, strongly protested 493 have been detained. with violence against the unjustified anti-British attacks of influential Americans. He expressed the opin- are 137 killed and 783 in hospital.ion that, in ratifying the Pact, Reuter. Canadian ought to voice her resent-

ment threat. The Rt. Hon. William Mackenzie King, Prime Minister, deprecated criticism of a neighbouring people as fraught with possible mischief, embarrassing international amity. He The Air Ministry has notified that | preferred to endorse Sir Austen ing within four miles of Craigweil | States, had signed the Pact in good

SOME DRIZZLE

The weather report issued by the Royal Observatory at 11.25 a.m. to-day stated ;-

The anticyclone covers China and S. E. Mongolia. Fresh monsoon may be ex-

pected along the S. E. Coast of China and over the China Sea. Forceast:-N. E. winds, fresh; overcast; some dr.zzle or

FISHING FLEET

COMPANY'S OFFER TO ABERDEEN

The Aberdeen Fish Trade Asso-turn on Sunday. ciation have received a letter from twenty faultless volumes of Native | Development Company, Ltd., Lon-Mr. Marriott's neat script still form | after carefully, considering a comthe foundation of land work in the munication from the Aberdeen mer-District and earn the grateful bless- chants, may be prepared to assist in the formation of a company for the provision of an Iceland fleet of sum of £50,000 is contributed by the

The offer is another step in the

Colony and as Acting High Commis- tive one by some of the leading fish presented to the Commission by M. sioner for the Malay States. His merchants in the city. One mem- Poincare, M. Barthou, Minister for retirement last year was a heavy ber of the trade pointed out that it Justice, and M. Maginot, Minister loss to Malaya and to the Colonial would cost about £225,000 to build a for the Colonies, provides for Service of the Empire. Sir Hayes | fleet of 15 boats. Of that sum the penalties of from one to five years' married, in 1908, Alice, daughter of local trade and public of Aberdeen imprisonment, banishment, and James Ramsdaile Smith, of Has- were asked to contribute £50,000, heavy fines, "upon anybody who holme Hall, Yorkshire. His elder leaving about £175,000 to be put up shall attempt in any way whatsoson, John, is now at King's College, by the Industrial and Supply Co. ever to threaten the integrity of

Richard, who was born at Malacca a meeting of the Aberdeen Fish the ruling power of France of any

complete change

RETURNING NORMAL

"ROUNDING-UP"

KILLED AND 783 IN HOSPITAL

THE POLICE ACTIVE

Bombay, Yesterday The city is rapidly returning to normal. The rounding-up of bad THE entertaining story

The total casualties in the riots | stage star

BRUCE CAUTIOUS AIRSHIP SERVICE FROM

HOME

EXPLORING ADVANTAGES

London, Yesterday. The Rt. Hon. Stanley M. Bruce, Australian Federal Premier, announces that he has given assurnces of Australian co-operation in 'a weekly airship service between Great Britain and Australia if a thorough examination of the relevant subjects reveals that Australia will derive advantages.-British Wireless Service.

VISITING CANTON

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF CHINA STATION

FLAG TRANSFERRED

The flag of Vice-Admiral A. K. Waistell, C.B., the new Commanderin-Chief, China Station, was transferred at sunset yesterday from H.M.S. "Kent" to H.M.S. "Petersfield," which left Hong Kong for Canton this morning, for a visit. His Excellency is expected to re-

HOME RULERS

PROPOSED REPRESSIVE LEGISLATION

Paris, Jan. 2.

M. Poincare has decided to bring in a Coercion Act to put a stop to the movements for Home Rule in Alsace, Corsica, French Indo-China Government has drawn up a bill, in this capital light comedy picture ! which was presented last week to present being considered by the the Civil and Criminal Legislation the Committee of the Chamber. Its de-Trawlowners' Association. The lack clared purpose is "to repress all Sir Hayes had intended to retire of such a fleet, it is held, is respon- infringements on the integrity of in 1927. He returned in October, sible for Aberdeen losing its posi- the national territory or on the 1927, for a period of one year, dis- tion as the second fishing port in authority of France in territories where this authority is at present The offer is considered an attrac- exercised." The bill, which was The proposal will be considered at the national territory or deprive part of the territory over which it

exercises authority." The new bill, it will be noticed, is not solely directed against the Alsatian Home Rule movement, which M. Poincare has combated with great energy and firmness, its principal leaders having been prosecuted and the two Alsatian autonomous party deputies having been expelled from Parliament and deprived of their mandates. In his statement to the Legislative Commission, M. Poincare spoke not merely of the "autonomous intri-"gues" in Alsace but also of similar "plots" which are being brought to light in Corsica (where discontent is, in fact, very great) and in Brittany. The Government, he declared, must not be left unarmed in face of these machinations.

Opposition to the bill came from the Socialist members of the Com-

strengthening autonomous Home Rule propagands in Alsace. Fur strengthened it. Bocialists were joined in their op instion of the bill.

O'NEIL SALLY MOORE who dreams of being a and makes -7 come true! ADDITIONAL ATTRACTIONS A NEW FOX COMEDY, A CARTOON & M.G.M. NEWS REEL

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French Empire. To this end the THE famous star of "Ben Hur" was never more engaging than

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STAR

FINAL SHOWINGS TO-DA! At 5.15 & 9.20.



position to the bill by M. Reibel, a reactionary deputy and friend of in the Grosvenor-road Wesleyan M. Millerand. He attacked the bill Church, Aldershot, to commemorate on practical grounds, declaring the thirty years' chaplaincy in the that it was impolitic, and pro- Aldershot Command of the late Rev. ity of its terms and the dangers phesying that its effect on Alsace Colonel D. P. Lowery, who was underlying all such forms of re- would be fatal. He attacked the senior chaplain to the Guards Bripression. Home Rule movements Government's existing repressive gade. thrive on repression, they pointed policy towards Alsatian Home out. The Government bill would Rule which, he said, had not in their opinion merely succeed in diminished the autonomous movement but had, on the contrary, Mile-end.

used against any party. The decided to proceed with the exam- Glasgow students in their annual

A memorial cross was unveilled

A thousand East-end children were entertained by the Drapers' Company at the People's Palace,

ther it was argued that legislation Despite this strong opposition "Oliver Twist" dolls, each with a of that particular, kind might be the Commission by 14 votes to 9 porninger, were recently sold by

5 performances TO-DAY & TO-MORROW at 12.30, 2.30, 5.20, 7.15 & 9.15 p.m.

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